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## NAZI PROVIDES A LAUGH

Plea Of Hitler's Photographer

## Col. Noma Comes Back For Irial

KONG'S NO. 1 JAPANESEL. WAR CRIMINAL, LANDED AT FLAG STAFF STUPS AT N O O N - YESTI RDAY. THE HAS BEEN BROUGHT FROM JAPAN FOR TRUM. Col. Noma, former chief of the Japanese Gelelarmerie, came to Hong Korg from Divisional, comber 1941. He was respon- (now blocked by the American) sible for the mass in orders of authorities). I have already Oct. 29, 1973 and executions and succeeded in proving that thotal of in Stanley fall up to made my money honestly. Japan.

enerial through the streets of tor in my defence. Canton beautifully robed, and shot outside the city.

Col. Nema joins Lt.-Col. Kanazama and Major Kori in Stanley jail,

NO ARROGANCE Noma, stripped of the insignic and uniform in which he swag gered about Hong Kong for mor than four venus, was attired in Party," neatly pressed kinki civiliar clothes. Under Communic guard he was transferred quickly at th sekvard from the small bon which has cht him in-hore int the truck which whisked his without d lay to Stanley prison He corrid his own suiterse to the truck

Japan about the telephone bim a forture of \$1.450,000 and

### Hoffman Tries To Back Out

A T By Arthur Oakeshott i

MUNICH, FEB. 8. A PLEA TO BE "DENAZIFIED" FROM "PROFESSOR" HOFFMAN, BITTLER'S PERSONAL PHOTOGRAPH ER, WHO IS AWAITING TRIAL AT NUREMBERG

HAS SET ALL BAVARIA LAUGHING. LETTER ADDRESSED TO A FRIEND AT MUNIGH, HOFFMAN H'ROTE: "I H'AS NEFTER PROMINENT IN POLITICAL MATTERS AND NEFER TREATED MY EMPLOYEES B A D TY . HAD'NOTHING TO DO WITH A LL T H O S E DREADFUL THINGS AND YET I HAVE TO RE-MAIN HERE AWAITING TRIAL.

"After that I shall have to be- makes him a millionairo in any Headquarters at Canten it. I) - gin to fight to save my fortune currency.

Feb. 1945 when he returned to The fact that my business was never utilised by the party It has been reported that his or propaganda ministry for the ex-mistress. Miss Hemi Wong, purpose of inflammatory or hate has been executed. She was prepayanda is an important fac-

> "The Americans are very nice to me and the American newspapers have" printed some very kind things about me. Now it is being slowly proved that I am a very different person from what become generally believed. I was never a member of the S.S. or S.A. and hold no office in the Nazi

about many "Hoffman rackets" cribed as "healthy eroticism". during the Nazi regime-and his bitterness.

A "gold badge" Nazi Party member. Hoffman beran his grise One protector at the dock and to the rank of what the German he stephed along Thungly but he called a "bonzen" or big shot didn't have much appearance of when he started business in 193; with a capital of 900 marks. His There was no crowd to watch | career ended in the spring of 1945 with a fosture of over 58,000,000 schedule after believe beginsht from of 40 marks to the nound, gives

PERIODIC DRUNKARD Property in his possession at luxurious mansions in various CIALS DISCLOSED pants of Germany as well as a DAY. prefentious villa in Poland. 19 motorears, enormous stocks of food, including bags of coffee. chests of tea. butter, margarine. meat, wines, spirits and liqueurs. and thousan is of vards of al

sorts of clothing material. On the other hand, he owed the city of Munich a total of 2,000,000 that most of this food has been

nurks in taxes. take part in nightly orgies in the notorious "nebenzimmer" or side room at the Rathaus in Munich. where Dorothen van Bruck used to dance naked before the Nazi leaders in furtherance of their But Bavarians know the facts creed of what was officially des-

attempt to experate himself has because he had the sole right to coused amusement tinged with photograph Adolf Hitler and other Nazi leaders.

'At the beginning of his career as a photographer, his chief clerk Mas Evn Braun which may have accounted for the fact that Hitler later made a "King's Favourite" of this insignificant little photographer.

quarters, whether in France, Po- district late on Thursday night, land or Russia. Hollman was and who subsequently died, has always there as a guest of honour been identified as Charles May, nounced that the parliamentary! give in." But the angry Fuehrer for. and Hitler was on more than one chief steward of the Blue debate on the world food shortage declared he would "have Hess shot occasion heard to say to intimate Funnel ship "Menelaus." friends that he was eternally May was found at the foot of sociated Pross. grateful to Hoffman for the fact the stairs of a house in Chin that he met Eva at his house. A RACKET

But his fortune was made from pictures of Hitler which he took at a cost of a little over a penny head injuries. and sold in million-often by direct or indirect pressure-to the Force took the man to the Navo German public at five marks-in Dockyard Sick Bay in a naval those days around 6/6d.

Every few weeks, a new series on arrival. of nictures of Hitler would come out and every good party member on him to Star Ferry Search would find it incumbert on him to Star Ferry Search chase yet another record of Hitler haranguine a Panty Congress or, natting children at a Hitler Youth on the Star Ferry Wharf just

And () the racket went on, for it was almost a crime and cer-

"Fuhrer". Nor were the photographs his a Chinese was seen to run away, only activity. He also produced with the police in chase. books on the Nazi moment—filled It was later learned that the with appropriate photographs—| search was a routine one by the which sold by the million both at Police who were acting on cer-

Many foreign press photographers have reason to remember · Often, at special events where they wanted to take photographs Von Ribbentrop told Musac- of Hitler speaking or reviewing

One art deal—in which he sold in the world's history."-Asso- Latest official records uncovered

disclose that Hoffman was granted tax exemptions up to 48,000 marks

ARAB STRIKE

The Arabs to-day staged general strike throughout Lebanon barrack buildings were destroyprotesting against the British decision to permit 1,500 Jewish those remaining are suitable for immigrants to enter Palestine monthly.-Associated Press.

DOCTORS STRIKE

Poona Feb. 8. Twenty-seven doctors and sur-

# Australia To Help

FROM THE IMPORTANT AUSTRALIAN STOCKPILE OF FOODS A CONTRI-BUTION OF 50 TO 60 MIL LION BUSHELS OF WHEAT THIS YEAR WILL BE MADE TO SUCH EM-PIRE REGIONS AS INDIA SOUTH AFRICA AND NEW GOODS-PRODUCING the time of his arrest included fiv. ZEALAND, FOOD OFF.

> The Australian food cupboard at the end of last year stood at 45,000 tens of meat, 4,500,000 pounds of cheese, quantities of butter, eggs and a million cases of canned goods.

A periodic drunkard, he would orders to ease the British crisis.

able to export no more than 100,000,000 bushels of whea. during the first half of this year because of the "below average" Hoffman became a millionaire crops.—Associated Press.

Wherever Hitler had his head- seriously injured in the Central last year.

Madame Chiang Kai-shek scheduled to fly to Shanghai to-19:17.-As ociated Press.

London, Feb. 8.
Scotland Yard har made another lightning raid on London's underworld In the past 36 hours, 50 arrests were made, thousands of pounds worth of jewellery recovered, and a number of arms were discovered and confiscated.-Renter.

# Britain's Rations

LONDON, FEB. 9. THE CABINET MET ON THURSDAY TO DISCUSS the eight allied judges. AGAIN BRITAIN'S AND THE WORLD'S FOOD CRISIS AS WORLD'S WILLINGNESS TO the assistant prosecutor. HELP IN THE FIGHT AGAINST HUNGER.

It was the third meeting this ministration." Griffith Jones asweek for the Cabinet, usually serted. summoned only once weekly by the Prime Minister, Mr. Attlee.

decided upon, the Cabinet kept to The "Melbourne Herald" said itself, but one fact almost certainly discussed was the tide of resentment against the situation back to their lowest wartime food States. The British took "do something about this."

> measures to be taken will not belonged to the British Foreign missioned officers," Johnson said. cause harm unless the rations are Office had to be screened for "It shows we have 3,397 lieutenslashed still further.

> Farmers Union explained that fer was agreed upon during the more colonels and lieutenant-co-Britain's winter acreage cut last Christmas recess. Four banks lonels than we have first-lieuyear to two thirds of the 1944 of flood lights on the court room | tenants." acreage, was still lower this year cast a greenish pallor on Hitler's | Congress approved a War Departly because the wheat acreage! subsidies were halved.

gardeners has urged its four- Press. thousand local branches to grow an extra 10,000,000 nounds worth of food-about a third more than disclosed that Rudolf Hess, in a

mons, Mr. Herbert Morrison, and circles to persuade the British to second-lieutenant through mawill be held next Thursday.-As-| immediately if he returned to

AGAINST YOU!"

not one was lost."

the job with 100 armed men and succeed.

Craziest Scheme

Of The War

RESCUE BY UNITED STATES FORCES OF 30,000 WAR

PRISONERS SCATTERFD THROUGHOUT CHINA.

LAPSED WAS CALLED "THE CRAZIEST SCHEME

OF THE WAR" BY BRIG.-GEN. GEORGE

OLMSTED, ASSISTANT CHIEF-OF-STAFF TO GEN

ALBERT WEDEMEYER IN THE CHINA THEATRE.

CONCOCTED THE PRISONERS' RELEASE PLAN

AND IVAS TOLD BY IVEDEMEYER: "THAT'S THE

CRAZIEST SCHEME I EVER H E A R D IN THE

ARMY. TRY IT. IF IT FAILS, REMEMBER WE

ARE READYING COURT MARTIAL CHARGES

IVAITING DISCHARGE OLMSTED TOLD HOW HE

## Why Hess Flew To Scotland

NUERNBERG, FEB. S.

THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT YESTERDAY DISCLOS-ED THAT RUDOLF HESS FLEW TO SCOTLAND IN 1941 WITH PROPOSALS SEEKING TO UNSEAT THE CHURCHILL GOVERNMENT AND MAKE PEACE WITH A NEW CABINET WHICH WOULD ASSURE GERMANY A FREE HAND IN CONTINEN-

TAL EUROPE. HESS, A SCARECROW FIGURE IN A SECOND HAND SUIT, CLUTCHED HIS LONG HANDS ON THE PRISONER'S DOCK YESTERDAY AFTERNOON . AND HEARD A BRITISH ARMY OFFICER DE MAND HIS PUNISHMENT AS THE THIRD RANK-ING NAZI IN THE CONSPIRACY TO PLUNGE THE WORLD INTO WAR.

As the French finished their entire prosecution, the crowded court-room stirred with excitement as young, débonair Colone Melvyn Griffith Jones addressed

Hess, scating beside Goering. leaned forward. Jerkily his head MALAYA, HONG KONG, REPORTS POURED IN FROM | snapped to attention as charges COUN- against him were read to the TRIES SHOWING THE Tribunal by the calm voice of

> tioning little more than a phrase ary colonels." or two from each paper.

which took the British people been prosecuted by the United Military Committee, promised to charge, however, because a num-Diet authorities agreed that the ber of secret documents which ment for its list of regular com-

pertinent facts. An official of the National Responsibility for the trans- ond lieutenants. We've got one-time closest friend. Hess partment request for adding | varied his stare by muttering some 8,000 officers to the regular

The British prosecution also farewell letter to Hitler, promised temporary officers who served Leader of the House of Comil to "use Great Britain's Fascis during the war, in grades from Germany."-Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, FEB. 8.

Washington, Feb. 8. Senator Johnson, Demograt of Colorado, urged the War Department to "reduce the number "Hess was involved in every of colonels and get more bright branch of Nazi life and ad- young second lieutenants,"

"We've got an army of colonels to-day," Johnson told a report-Methodically, he went through er. "Why, we've got more rea mass of documentary evidence gular army colonels than the What measures may have been on the prisoner's career, men- governor of Kentucky has honor-

Sen. Johnson, ranking ma-Originally, Hess was to have jority member of the Senato

> "I just asked the War Departant-colonels and only 2,295 sec-

A national organization of small, aside to Geering. - Associated army, bringing the total to 25,-000. This bill, awaiting President Truman's approval, au-| thorises regular commissions for

> "I certainly hope the army picks up bright roung secondlieutenants for all those new places," Sen. Johnson said. "The ... young officers can make the army a career for 20 or 30 more years and really do it some good. Lieutenants and captains are valuable in an army. Too many regular colonies are worthless. We have so many colonels . to-day it's almost a comic opera

### army."-Associated Press. TRAITOR DEFIANT MANCHURIA AND KOREA WHEN JAPAN COL

BUDAPEST, FEE. 8. LASZLO BARODOSSY, FOR-MER PRIME MINISTER OF HUNGARY WHO DIED BE-FORE A MIRING SQUAD THIS MORNING. PRECIPATED RIOTS IN HIS FINAL MO-

MENTS OF LIFE. "Wrest Hungary from these Olmsted continued: "We did to gain time, the rescues might bandits," the Nazi leader shouted as he flaced the muzzles of the Then he told how B-26 planes, firing squad in the black gaol.

Olmsted said the command did each carrying six man, were countyard. not have the men nor the menns sent to the camps with letters. Onlookers had been respectful to transport them and supplies telling the Japanese comman- to the man, who had declined \*from Chungking into the Japa- ders they would be held respon- blindfold and stood erect with his

nese-held areas so figured if sible for any harm done to the silver hair bared. But at his words they surged forward. One man shouted "got the priest too." referring to the priest who had accompanied Baro-

dessy to the wall. The crowd calmed down quickto everything. The only trouble ly, however, when police unilung we had was with our own men. their rifles. A hourse shout of

They all wanted to go on the "long live Hungary" sounded rescue missions." -- Associated they filed out quietly. The former prime minister, defiant to the end, shouted additional opithets until the guns tuppled.

him.—Associated Press.

Kotchikan, Alaska, Feb. 8. The number rescued from the wrocked and Woroken | liner Yukon stood to day at 486 and the Alaska Steamship Company said its 'list' of persons unnecounted for stood

At the same time the Northwest Medical Supply Company in Scattle said the city's supply of penicillin was exhausted completely by the demands of the Soward. Alaska hospital for treatment of survivors. The missing list included six army men, two crewmen and three divilians -- Aust-

## Axis Was Just A Big Happy Family

NUERNBERG, FEB. 8. GERMANY FEARED JAPAN MIGHT DESERT THE AXIS SEVEN MONTHS BEFORE PEARL HARBOUR AND DISTRUSTED THE JAPANESE AMBASSADOR IN WASHINGTON, ADMIRAL NOMURA, AS A "PRO-ANGLO-SAXON" IT WAS REVEALED AT THE INTERNATIONAL WAR CRIMES TRIBUNAL YES-TERDAY WHEN VON RIBBENTROP'S SECRET PAPERS WERE READ PEFORE THE COURT.

May 13, 1941, that the Japanese Normura is inclined rather to-Government was seeking a pledge wards the Anglo-Saxons."

Philippines problem. The Nazi Foreign Minister The Duce referred to a split said it was unfortunate tight dis- which had appeared in the Unit-

### BRITAIN'S NEW CARRIERS

LONDON, FEB. 8. BRITAIN IS BUILDING A FLEET OF GIGANTIC AIR ORAFT CARRIERS, 30 WHICH ARE EXPECTED TO BE READY FOR SEA WITHIN protecting conveys meant war a painting to the Reich Chancel-SEVERAL MONTHS, THE the Americans would most pro- lery in Berlin for 50,000 marks-

This programme, it was pointed out, is in conformity with current plans of the British to inorense their naval forces. When this programme is com-

under construction, and will be able to carry more than 100 planes each.—Associated Press.

### The Weather

To-day's foregast: -- Moderate easterly winds, fine and warm. Yesterday's temperature:--Maximum: -- 69 degrees at Minimum: -- 55 degrees at

Ribbentrop told Mussolini, on Admiral Nomura "for at heact

from President Roesevelt not to Mussolini guessed that the enter into the European conflict Japanese motive for negotiating and for clarification of the with the United States was the United States attitude on the result of "Japan's desire to keep | jout of the war herself."

cussions with President Roose- ed States and quoted speeches home and among sympathisers tain information. velt were being conducted via by former President Herbert abroad. His sale in Latin America Hoover and Colonel Charles alone ran into six figures. Lindberg, American flyer here, as the most prominent opponents of Rossevelt's policy," stated Hoffman's jealousy of his monothe German Foreign Office re- poly of taking pictures of Hitler, day on her first visit there since port which British prosecutors

introduced in part. lini: "If a forcing hand were relegated to very disadvantageous played and it were laid down that the American system of "EVENING. NEWS" REPURT- bably hesitate because American carned for him the title of "Prore-armament is the biggest bluff | fessor" conferred by Hitler.

ciated Press. DARLAN DEAL Clandestine dealines, in which 'a mar.-Router. pleted, Britain will have the Admiral Jean Darlan, of France. 'its pencetime | ngreed to give material aid, to a Nazi drive against Iran and to The paper said that three car. | Rommel's Afrika Korps in return riers of 45,000 tons each, are for status as a third rate Axis partner were detailed in documents submitted in part vesterday, to the International War Crimes Tribunal by the British

> In a convertation with the Nazi Foreign Minister, Josephim Rebentrop, on Mny 18, 1941, Mussolini learned that Darlan had promised the use of an Alperion port to the Axis authorities to facilitate the shipment of war geons in Poons hospitals went on amonlies to Africa .- Associated strike to-day, demanding higher

# MELBOURNE, FEB. 8.

held for British Food Ministry In 'Washington, the Agriculture Department said Argentina and Australia together might be

A European who was found

Loong Street shortly after 11.30 p.m. He had apparently fallen down the stairs and sustained

Members of the Kennedy vehicle but he was found dead

Some commotion was caused after office hours yesterday. The 5 p.m. ferry had just left Hong Kong when a party of not to be in possession of the eight police and two military orla est Hoffman picture of the dered it to return. Passengers on the deck were searched and

, Chungking, Feb. 8.

### they could confuse the Japanese rescuers or prisoners. Navy Takes Over Barracks Japanese

WITHIN FIVE DAYS OF ARRIVING AT KURE THE ROYAL NAVY HAS TAKEN OVER THE JAPANESE BARRACKS AND IS PREPARING FOR THE PORT PARTY AT PRESENT ACCOMMODATED IN H.M.S. GLENEARN.

N.A.A.F.I. who opened a beer canteen yesterday. Some of the ed by Allied air attacks but accommodating the Navy. Extra huts will be built on other sites cinema with senting accommodution for 1,500

finished the beer bur and are canteen for the boys in no time." radio.

vice in the Pacific has been since.

camp barber, a tailor and a possible for the occupation that day. forces. "The place will soon he ... No anxiety is felt for the

they reported back. At most places the Japanese just agreed

"It worked," Olmsted sald

"but I had sleepless nights until

A four-engined land plane, believed to be American, which First ashore were men of erecting counters and shelves for took off from Oahu, in the Hathe dry canteen which will open waitan Islands, on. Thursday soon. The Naval canteen ser- morning, has not been heard of

> known to set up shop within a . The plane left Oahu at 4.80 few hours of landing in a new a.m. on Thursday bound for at eleven. Canton Island, in the Phoenix In Japan it is again trying to group, south of Hawaii, and was introduce as much comfort as last heard of at 6.50 a.m. on

on the top line," said leading plane as it is believed she is still canteen assistant Joseph Don- air borne and her silence is at-Japanese carpenters, have nelly. "We shall have a good | tributed to failure of the plane's



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### Citizenship

has given the Chinese people what seems to be a necessary (c.) outthat Demo racy is not a . . Co. political machinery that can be contested upon a nation and that et le not a system of administra tion made available to the relative. As simple process at the willing of a constitution. Speaking the other day on the highly words and outcome of the Pohmal Consultative Conference's discussions, the Generalis imo remarked: "In our society there is a varietic. about freedom and Demociand under funding of government

by law and abiding by law is the ble. To polyotate Demos acc ve. should first accustom outselves to government by law." The cabled I version of the address did not indieure char China's President en darged any further on the orbject, sellers. but it might well have been done streeted are more than institled. \$4.31. In the pursuit of a political new | English Sterling and Aus | deal in China, it was essential that line, laid down in Chungking at were also unchanged at \$6.40. Chanese New Year. It is an encouraging beginning and high Jiopes are rightly centred upon it. But, and it is a very emphatic Generalissimo needed to be given. Some of the comments on the Con-

ference's achievement rather gested an elation based upon alfallacy, the belief that the agreement has created the basis of Demorracy for China, where is it point understored by the General-1 issimo. The basis of democracy men were not passengers but were lies in the traditions of a people only looking after the cargo. and their way of life. Unless! those traditions and that way of life are in or can be brought into democracy, it cannot operate successfully, and the political form is virtually meaningless. In his difforent language, the Generalissiand was emphasising that the prerequisite is citizenship, in its full-l electoral vote as perhaps the least and Chan Iu-nin. important aspect of it. In veother words, the privileges of the Four Freedoms require to be earned, by the common acceptance and who refused to accept, support of the rule of law and of order, and of a sense of civic responsibility. Representative gois more than a voting machine, it months' hard labour by Mr. C. Y. many people lost their lives in the With regard to life in the day in either Buliain or America baby girl and my beloved mother his cabin. He found a sack of With regard to life in the day in either Buliain or America baby girl and my beloved mother his cabin. He found a sack of With regard to life in the day in either Buliain or America baby girl and my beloved mother his cabin. He found a sack of With regard to life in the day in either Buliain or America baby girl and my beloved mother his cabin. is an assertion of local feeling, and Kwan at the Summary Military course of bringing the mines and harem, "Junmy's" frank avoid those chains are unduly binding. in Macao. My mother died on sucar in accused's wardrobe. It therefore, ideally, government by the governed. But the years are from a fruit stall at the Ko Shing ment. jealous of their rights and even in Theatre. Queen's Road West, on this atomic age there is no short but to the creation of the necessary conditions. China's national of the stall and stole the money. Inhouse its equipment in sweetments, and in short, to darn soon through it. and as | Shortly after my arrival, I went awakening will undoubtedly faci- The Police were informed and ac- is a 5,000 h.p. generator; and the have their sex ameal keved right promptly at another entrance. litate their development, but there cused was arrested on informa- mine is served by rail tracks to up to concert pich against the No. "Jimmy", I do not see how of the Australian Red Cross and will be needed a long period of tion. education, and perhaps many discouragements, before government through an enlightened public opinion can be conducted in China on a national scale.

LEIGHTON HILL ROBBERY

four men, three of them armed secution offered no evidence. with revolvers, entered No. 8, Ho was charged with making | employs 15,000 odd labourers. Its tain precautions have been taken. Leighton Hill Road, second floor, speech tending to incite persons ore yield is higher, said to be 65 But even cumuchs have their and stole \$1,800. The robbers to intentere with impintainance percent, but it is believed to have weaknesses and there is many p were all young men.

Thos programme for Sunday at St. Andrew's Church Vicarage. Kowloon (Tot H) at 8 p.m. will include:-Prolude to "Tristan and Jaolde" (Wagner): L'Arlelesienne Suite No. 2 (Bizet); Concerte for has been procured.

for presession cight tacks of raw This will be continued every generating plant, and at Yu Lam another under such circumstances. Whilst on duty, I was suddenly and all agree that the correct There will also be items by Bach, oblism-without a permit. R. O. Satarday and is open to all who Port, one of 900 h.v. in joss paper in a basket carried tional Highland dances of Scot- des. trade is essentially a closed bases, the figure be- Hospital for treatment. After arguing were both right and both The Concert begins at 8.80 and by accused at the K.C.R. Station. land.

## RICHEST AREA BE DEVELOPED

# Possession

, Li Chan-chang, charged with unlawful possession of a revolver and six rounds of ammunition, lack of, shipping are responsible heed in leather, paper, ice, canned when the Manager of the Society. was found guilty by Mr. W. H. for the island still remaining in foodstuffs, sugar, wine and other Mr. J. Bennut, pointed out that Latimer yesterday and sentenced virtual isolation five months after necessities of everyday life. to two years hard labour. Defindent was arrested by De- is known of what has been going centre of the island as well as its was temporarily released from the

two escaped. pistol, loaded with six rounds in Canton via Hong Kong. the magazine and one round in

5 The arms and ammunition many of roads and bridges, some that certain undesirable gentle- mustering at the prison of their

with advantage. The cuthusium a quiet day. Soot transactions viceable. The repair stations that the Cambridgeshire in the same a son is not popular; the pail and opened at HK\$1.80 to CN\$1.000 they have managed to get func- | year under the name of Press on | scrubber are not far off; she will and closed at \$1.82. Futured thoming lack spare parts and ac- a horse which had never been soon be dhobbing out the favou- I was compelled to evacuate, due interperty conference have been opened at \$4.28 and closed at cessories.

lian bounds maintained the previous day's level of \$19.20 and added that vessels taken over National when with typical our womenfolk to advance too safety zone. I took safeter in a tences for offences of this naa beginning be made along the \$14 respectively. U.S. dollars

### NO PERMIT

The junk master of Motor Junk But, the warning given by the No. 762, Lo Yee, was summoned | before Mr. W. H. Latimer ves-

guity and fined \$50. Green Island and found 28 per- round the island. sons on board. Fourteen of them

Accused told the Court that the shape.

### TENANCY CASE

had not paid roms since the re- try of Economic Affairs in an ac- mind and interest. You could the bulk of your wages the my grandmother two days later. occumulion, Mrs. M. B. Hamil count of industrial and mining de- hardly have found an article more moment you step inside the door. In June, 1942, my young daugeter successfully applied for the evic- velopments, said great strides had suited to the task. tion of Cheng Kit-wan from the been made in from mining, and it second floor of No. 52 Russell must be conceded that the Japan- with "Jimmy" up to the point more than one! If this indy M.P. one foot of water deep.

Tenancy Tribunal comprising land. est meaning, with the right to an Mesurs, George She, F. Xavier

took over the premise; from the strategic use, and they exploited he is mainly concerned) so ap- custom. The baby is less the Macao, I could not make ends former tenant, a friend of his, its resources for their own war palling that the most charitable gause than the effect. And, this meet, due partly to illness and He had offered rents to the owner needs, hence they spared no effort assumption is that it was written is important, "Jimmy", have you also due to the high cost of living.

### STALL FORTUNE

Court yesterday for stealing other projects on the island to of ignorance seems rather super- In fact it is said that they are in- 22/7/45 after a long illness. Wednesday.

PLANT OPERATOR DISCHARGED.

Ho Kwong, plant operator of alities are unlimited. Kai Tak Aerodrome, residing at | Among other facilities put up minds and wills of their own will Ng. 20. Canal Road, third floor, by the Japanese here is a hospital not willingly submit to such conwas discharged by Mr. C. Y. with 700 beds.

of law and good order at Queen's been two-thirds worked out. Road Central near the Queen's Theatre on Jan. 17. for the defence...

### HIGHLAND DANCES

New apparatus for, reproduction Service men and women and for comment and trataliations are check. Moreover, even in the was attached to a hure group of any others interested will commonco to-hight, in St. John's Hall, Three months simple imprison- | Garvien Road at 8 p.m. when a ment was imposed on Lo Kai, Scottish Country Dancing class was developed by the Jananese. At discuss the sort of treatment one the enemy on 18/12/41 and reveral

HAINAN ISLAND, SAID TO CONTAIN THE RICHEST MINERAL DÉPOSITS IN SOUTH CHINA, IS AGAIN THE FOCUS OF ATTENTION, FOLLOWING THE RECENT VISIT PAID TO IT BY DR. T. V. SOONG DEFELOPMENT OF ITS NATURAL RESOURCES IS BE LIEFED TO BE IN THE FOREFRONT OF POST-HAR RECONSTRUCTION FOR SOUTH CHINA.

the termination of the war, Little . Hothew remains the commercia work for four months only as he

slop and be searched the men s.nt to the Island in November to pace of rehabilitation. ran, dropping a revolver. He take over land and sea transport arrested accused but the other and mining and industrial undertakings from the Japanese, These For pess ssion of a Mauser Adjustes have now returned to

the breach, and another |24 | Mr. Lai Chi-leung, in charge of rounds without a spermit, Leune land transport, said that the Jahard labour. Detective-Inspector opened up an extens e net-work any unsavoury correspondence loused palm. were found in a busket he was of which were damaged, need to men, some of whom have recently incarcerated lord, and the keen now being out in hand.

tael, sustained buying pushed it | Though they had taken over from famous Nostaigia, who was fourth the other hand the Arabs. like duced on the charge of shooting corded in this Court. Comparaup to \$608 at the close, with few | the Japanese more than 1,100 mo- in the Derby of 1932. It will be "Jimmy," have noted the prepon- with intent. There was no evi- tively heavy sentences passed in tor vehicles, the majority were remembered that he figured in a derance of females. The unfort dence, the president pointed out, the last few months do not seem Chinese institutal currency had either badly damaged or unser- regrettable incident when he won tunate wife who fails to produce

> from the Japanese aggregated 31, roguishness he refused at the last far to contemplate now a situation relative's nouse until the sarrender ture." ranging from 600 tons to 10,000 | fence. can be put into commission.

VESSELS TAKEN OVER

However, the whote scheme is amounts to no more than an im- were members of the crew. On still in the blue-print stage, One portunt first step towards it. The | defendent's licence, marked in | or two runs have been made on essential truth is contained in the red. was "no passengers per- routes 2 and 3, but regular service depends upon wetting vessels into

> There are 59 vessels sunk off On the Pround that her tenant of the evessels can be salvaged.

ese made considerable progress

MINE DEVELOPMENTS

large occan-going ressels.

ready exceeded a million tons, all be practically non-existent, and shipped to Japan, but the potenti- what there is of them trained for

Kwan at the Summary Military | Next in importance is the Tin of sundry compulent gentlemen, At about 4.30 p.m. yesterday Court vesterday when the pro- Tuk Shan Iron Mine which has who act as guards to these shapea daily-output of 3,000 tons, and by damiels and with whom cer-

EQUIPMENT INTACT mined in Brazil.

work can be resumed.

Communication difficulties and | been able to produce their own | agreed to order his reinstatement

tective Wong Tak at Shek Kip on, and of what prevailing condi- principal port. Merchants yearn Army on compagiforate grounds for shipping without which. ... and not vet demobilised. The Com-Some in ight is, however, pro- say, the island can never prosper mittee adjourned the case pending wards Sham hulpo and saw three vide t by information provided by Feeling 21 the island is generally investigation of his standing men approaching. When told to the Chinese Government delegates, one of disconnintment at the slow under the Reinstatement Act. -

### and the wrinkles start to absent labour on the first count of un- on the possession count, the

The Army

Edinburgh, Feb. 8.

The Reinstatement Committee

to day was unable to decide

whether the applicant was techni-

William F. Grant of Phillipstone

Terrace, Boness, said that when

he applied for reinstatement as a

motor driver with the Boness Co-

onerative Society, he was offered

work as a driver of a horse van.

Grant had applied for his former

The, Committee had already

cally in or out of the Army.

He did not like horses.

Reuter.

Not?

A WARNING . undergo repairs. This work is been writing to your newspaper, interest of the neighbours in the are planning to earry out a dis- missing face, suggest that he does Greatest bendleng is the lack of honest trick at the Happy Valley at least realise that a girl may

Readers

placed and so started at 65 to 1. rith wife's smalls and no messing. to the heavy shelling concentrated Sea transport is little better, Nostalgia later showed consider. Nevertheless it may be that on this area. While leaving, I an offence such as this is very anid Mr. Pun Tsok-leung of the able ability over the jumps, and "Jimmy" and the Arabs are right. was fortunate to meet one of the serious. This Court considers Ministry of Communications, who was once leading in the Grand but it seems we have allowed doctors who gave me a lift to a the time ripe for increasing sen-

tons, all commercial vessels, but I have found to my surprise his wives, the latter competing few days later, I made my way most of them damaged and in need that he has now been exported for his favours. There is enough home through the hillside. On my of extensive repairs before they here and is at present comfortably Jealousy about to-day without arrival. I found to my surprise Stabled in Kowloon. I hear that preparing a breeding ground for that my home and been occupied he has been entered in three it. Incidentally I believe that one by the Jans and all the lady folks handed to the China Merchants three different names. However I the harem is the cheerfulness with the point of bayonet. without a permit. He was found pose to operate four routes, viz. and I shall recognise him under inmate, perpetrators to the Stewards. Yours, in all sincerity (?).

JAN. P. LITTLE NO BRITISH PURDAHS

where he stants talking about prevails I am afraid it will have After rejoining my old office for The application was granted by during their occupation of the is- "legitimising polygamy." The ar- to be artificial insemination for a few months, I resigned and left ticle from that point onwards be- the superfluous female. It has its for Macao on 19/11/42 where I trays a lack of knowledge and points of course but I think there took refuge under the support of The aim of the Japanese was understanding of the average Bri- still remains a considerable bias in the British Consul. were brought in, many of them value. To the comparisons with it?

To support such a tedious and the cures succested in the second It is said that the output has al- boring existence their minds must part—not in Britain anyhow. one thing only. That those with ditions is proved by the presence personable local lad who has made good at the Sultan's expense. I War. Mr. Alfred Y. Hon appeared Yeung Kok Lenr. The crystal is practices in which, the countries Long Service Medal from His I deserve a libile consideration in of high grade, fully equal to that themselves sometimes include, for Excellency the Governor. Sir view of the above circumstances? to do so (even if nrintable) would Andrew Callecott during the An- I must voice my strong protest to Work on tin mines stopped in be to shatter too rudely Jimmy's" hual Ambulance Inspection. blightul ignorance and bring n Generally speaking all the hot blush to many a damask I was mobilised by St. John and intach and with slight overhaul harem there is no equality: the fighting forces which included dereigning favourite rules the roost. | inchments from the Regular Army.

wherein the male lords it over of Hong Kong on 25/12/41. A

Inspector Bennison stated that Kong and Matao; (2) Hollow to tempt being made on Sunday to moment the ladies of Britain things. Un the return trip, my the ENSA Star Theatre, Kowloon, on Feb. 7, A/B Whitehead inter- Kwangchowwan; (3) Hollow to carry out this despicable deceit. I started chaining themselves to people were not allowed to remove from approximately 7.45 to 8.10 copted defendent's junk near Haiphong; and (4) coastal trade shall immediately denounce the railings in Downing Street, what anything. When the Japs left, ever remained of the purdah sys- my home was at the mercy of tistes appearing with Art Cartem there was doomed and is now looters. Clothing, household goods, neiro's Orchestra will be heard.

knowledge in this respect but. I result young countes too often. Colony at the end of September, The largest iron mine operated believe it is generally agreed that having walked into the marriage 1945 and rejoined my old office. I type wied on board. by the Japanese was that at Shek the sole duties of the inmates of chamber through the entrance, am an Essential Service Worker At about 1 a.m. on Wednesday, Luk, which has a daily output of these institutions are to lie drap- look round straight away for the and have been connected with the accused forced open the drawer 3,000 tons, and employs over 17,000 ed around on rich cushions, eat- exit, and for half a reason are office for nearly fifteen years, a wharf, but un during the oc- possibility of an occasional sum- the evil; set out in the first mart appeal for some wearing appearel, Impoctor F. Nolan prosecuted, cupation, capable of berthing two mons from their lord and master. of your article can be remedied by etc. I was given a chirt, a pair of

### TRAGEDY OF WAR

Over to somebody else.

you will be so good as to publish clothing, etc., to P.O.W.s and Exthis letter in the correspondence Internees. Ar far as the St. John the Court bat accused was arrestcolumns of your valuable paper. members are concerned, they have ed by a Chinese detective at the Ambulance Brivade and have been home. Only a few days ago,.. I Bay. Accused stole the articles serving the Corps for nearly made another appeal and was told by forcing open the front door twenty years including the Pacific that there was no clothing. Why during the absence of complain-

At the outbreak of hostilities, given mo. Electric power on the island I do not think it necessary to Volunteers, etc. (This post fell to

I door affair; and the Islanders have comes a shade less, sylph like, staying here for, a couple of days, wrong. Ed.

## Magistrate's Remarks On Shooting Case

"THIS COURT CONSIDERS THE TIME RIPE FOR IN-CREASING SENTENCES FOR OFFENCES OF THIS NATURE," REMARKED MR. LEO D'ALMADA, PRE-SIDENT OF THE GENERAL MILITARY COURT, YESTERDAY IN IMPOSING SENTENCE OF 10 YEARS' HARD LABOUR ON CHAN CHEUNG, ONE OF AN ARMED GANG' FOUND GUILTY OF SHOOTING WITH INTENT TO DO GRIEVOUS BODILY HARM OR TO RESIST ARREST BY THE POLICE.

12 strokes of the cane.

When hearing was resumed it was either second or sixth acyesterday the fifth accused, cused. Chan Wan-sang, was discharged on both counts preferred against him as the Court held be had no case to answer foliowing the recall of Det. Sub-Insp. J. R. this charge but in the case of the

Chun, Lam Kwong, Tang Tuen him. and Chan Wan-sang, were each | Chan Cheung was also sensentenced to five years hard teneed to five years hard labour -she's had it: here the pail and lawful possession of two re-sentences to run concurrently. Wah was sentenced to 18 months panese, during the occupation, Sir. I do not wish to introduce scrubber, the menial task, the cal velvers and 18 rounds of am- Passing sentence Mr. Leo munition at No. 304 Hoi Tan d'Almada said that shortly after Drury stated accured was art st- of communications round the is- into your pages, but I feel it my The same applies in the "wife- Street, second floor, on Dec. 23. the reoccupation of the Colony by a Revenue Officer at the land. These have been left in duty to issue a warning to your ly" circle of the polygamous Arab. Members of the Court were a proclamation was published

Sub-Insp. Sykes, prosecuted. After the Court had formally "The offence received aniple motor transcort. At present there races on Sunday, by running a not remain satisfied with her al- discharged Chan Wan-sang the publicity in the press of the Gold jumped 25 points vester, are only about 100 vehicles in horse under a false name. | lotted portion of her overworked prosecution was asked what evi- | Colony by reason of the numerday. Opening strong at \$583 per service, which is sadly inadequate. The horse in question is the in- master's time and vitality. On dence the prosecution had ad- ous cases and convictions re-

terday for carrying 14 passengers | Steam Navigation Co. who pro- once owned the old horse myself | which they noison an unpopular | They were allowed to carry with them a large blanket, a few pil- The contest will be staged at 8.15 (1) Hollow to Canton via Hong any disguise. Should I see an at- | No. I am afraid, from the blows plus a handful of other p.m., to allow for a relay from etc., were stolen.

hope your article does not come to wife and I were lying ill in bea forte). The relay will also inthe notice of a certain formidable for nearly three months without | clude items by Ant Carneiro him-Sir,-"Jimmy's" article "Babies female doctor M.P., intending proper medical attention. At one self-and some other members of not Husbands" is full of interest Home Guardsman (or woman) time, we were in a very serious his band. the coast. Of these, 50 are small and controversial possibilities, and heaven knows what else be- condition but luckily we managed craft of about 100 tons, while 9 Your object in printing it is, I sides, in Britain. If she has her to pass through this crisis. Dur- as follows: are vessels of over 1,000 tons. So presume, among others, as a final way, far from grabbing you ling this period, sometime in R.A.F. Officers' Mess, Homunfar it is not decided whether any purge of the Crosby, Chan, Sina- another dame, over and above the February, 1942, my baby son, lin: Wing Commander Connolly, tra, O.V.L. & Co. correspondence lawful spouse, there is going to be about 2 months old, died of mal- 5/L Wootton; F/Lt. Ganthony harmony with the true spirit of was not a recognised tenant and Mr. Sin Wing-hl, of the Minis- and the re-direction of the public a law which makes you hand over nutrition followed by the death of and F/O Mullens, if not before. Think how hard age 5 was accidentally drowned in I think most people will agree you'd have to work if you had a swimming pool which had only

The opponent claimed that he primarily to develop the island for tish woman (with whom I assume favour of the older established During my 215 years' sojourn in in developing the mines. Batch with his tongue in his cheek and considered the biggest snag about I had to depend on loans from posed and the sugar restored to after batch of slave labourers both eyes on its controversian A.I.? Will the other girls believe friends occasionally to carry on. Whatever I had, had cone to the With regard to "chains" holding pawnshop during this difficult the Wave King, testified that one A 22-year-old stall fokl, Lai from sickness and ill-treatment. doubt if our ladies will take reluctant marriage partners to time. Of course, these things of the crew told him that acgether, it cannot be said that to- were nover redeemed. I lost my cused had some sugar hidden in \$1,375 H.K. and \$3,600 C.N.C. their present stage of develop- fluous. I profess no personal sufficiently bedding and that as a I was repatriated back to the

when the British Red Cross and the Order of St. John took over the work, I made several unsuccessful attempts to obtain some winter wearing anoarel, etc., from Sir.—I shall be much obliged if have strict orders only to issue ling. | can't they give temporarily relief | unt. In 1937, I was a recipient of a on the merits of my case? Don't Accused, who had a previous the authorities for the treatment "TRAGEDY OF WAR".

· ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS

Holhow they find a 1.000 has woman is not to receive from hundred word taken prisoners). ccived to Blondie's dark enquiry

Chan was ordered to receive to show who fired the shot except that of a police efficer who said

SERIOUS OFFENCE After some deliberation the Court held that four of the accused had no case to answer on sixth Chan Cheung) the Court The four other accused, Chan held there was evidence against

Yaumati Rallway Station on Feb. neglect since the sarrender, o that readers, It has come to my ears "Jimmy's" account of the wives Mr. Len d'Almada, Capt. L. E. calling all persons to turn in Bigg and Capt. P. W. Egerton, arms at police stations, and Mr. F. X. d'Almada, assisted by penalties for such possession

were also made known.

to have had the desired effect. "At a time when the police are shorthanded and there are many lawless elements in the Colony.

### Navy-R.A.F. Quiz

To-night's "Quiz" Contest over Vessels taken over have been different races on Sunday under aspect of the "friendliness" of and children were driven out at Z.B.W. will be between teams from the R.A.F. Officers' Mess. | Homuntin, and H.M.S. "Reaper." p.m. In this relay, the guest ar-They are Doris Incham (Soprano) Meanwhile "Jimmy". I piously. On our returning home, my and Rosalind Bentley (Pigno-

The teams for the "Quiz" are

H.M.S. "Reaper": R.R.O. K. Jacques, P.O. D. Parkin, A/M J. Leggett and A/B M. J. Thomas.

An Indian scaman, Amad King, was found guilty by Mr. W. H. Latimer yesterday of unlayeful possession of 96 pounds of sugar. A fine of \$50 was im-

Thomas Johnston, Purser of the sugar to the officer-in-charge. The sugar was identified as the Accused said he discovered the

sugar in his cabin when he moved in. He denied straling it. Inspector Medley was in charge. of the prosecution.

SECOND CONVICTION

Kwong Shui-koung, unemployed, was charged before Mr. C. Y. Kwan at the Summary Military Court yesterday with breaking into No. 46, Tung Lo Wan Road. them. I was informed that they and stealing 22 pieces of cloth-

C.S.I. Chan of Bay View told I am a member of the St. John to wait fresh instructions from tramway terminus at Causeway

months' hard labour.

### CLASSICAL RECITAL

The main item in , to-morrow's Concert of Gramophone music at the Catholic Centre, King's Building, will be the violin Concerto in G Minor by Max Bruch, played Several replies have been re- by. Yehudi Menuhin and The. London Symphony Orchestra. Furthermore when the contisman taken ill and was conveyed to the answer depends upon the "achool". Mozart (The Plane Sonata in A

## CHINA'S COLOSSAL TASK

## 30 Years Needed For Rehabilitation

### Merit In amashita Appeal?

San Francisco, Feb. 8. The San Francisco "Chronicle," in an editorial, said yesterday that more important even than to punish Japanese war griminals is to make sure that it is done in so completely a right fashion that there can never be any future compunction about it. The paper said it was natural

enough for General MacArthur's staff "to britle at the suggestion of the two discenting Supreme Court Justices that Yamashita's counsel was not given enough time to prepare a proper

Arthur's legal staff will do well | tien would increase enormously, to observe any hint that may and "when the Chinese people help them sure of the incontests have plenty of food and clothability of the cases they have yet, ing the whole nation will be be-

# Rural Areas Worst A New

SHANGHAI, FEB. 7. THAT CHINA REQUIRES AT LEAST 30 YEARS OF PEACE TO COMPLETE HER COLOSSAL TASK OF REHABILITATING AND RECONSTRUCTING THE COUNTRY IS THE OPINION OF GENERAL SHUEH YEH, WORLD-FAMOUS FOR HIS DE. FENCE OF CHANGSHA - STRATEGIC CAPITAL OF HUNAN-WHO IS NOW VISITING SHANGHAL TE ESPECIALLY ADVOCATED THAT THE REHABLE LITATION OF RURAL AREAS BE GIVEN THE HIGHEST PRIORITY IN CHINA'S RELIEF PRO-GRAMME.

Attention, he said, should be over their own obsolete ways of devoted first to farming areas farming. in North Chinn, and then those China's farmers and pensants But it added that General Mac. | put back on their feet, produc-

I nefitted immensely." Army hwvers should reflect General Shuch urged the introthere must have been some scin- duction of modern agricultural tilla of morit in Yamashita's equipment in the rehabilitation of appeal or two barnel justices the rural areas. He said Chin would not have discented. Asso- ese farmers should be taught the advantages of scientific methods

## Ukraine's Charge Against Britain

LONDON, FEB. 8. THE SOVIET UKRAINIAN DELEGATE YESTERDAY ASKED THE UNITED ATIONS SECURITY COUN-CIL YESTERDAY TO CREATE A SPECIAL COM-MISSION TO INVESTIGATE "ON THE SPOT" THE SITUATION IN INDONESIA WHERE UKRAINE CHARGED THAT BRITISH TROOPS WERE "USED FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF A NA TIONAL MOVEMENT OF THE INDONESIAN PEO-

# Appear

Was lington, Feb. 8. Am appeal by Lieut.-General Supreme Court to order a halt Presenting Ukraine's case, in his war crimes trial by the Foreign Commissar Diagram SOVIET Interest Homeon for the United States

military hands and asks the high court to review the return of the Philippines Supreme Court to grant the general a writ of habens.

the court just three days after it to revise plans for adjournment refused by a six to two decision this week and it appeared yesto interfere with a military tri- terday that the Assembly will bunal's death sentence on Lleut .-General Yamashita. The Homma appeal apparently was prepared while the Yamashita case still was under advisoment by the court by air mail.

competency and juridiction of sociated Press. militury tribunal trials were upheld, virtually cominated any chance of success in the Homma appeal. Homma is on trial for! atrocities committed by the soldiers of his command in the Japanese conquest of the Philiptroops, during American reconed Press.

### WANTS TO STAY AT HOME

General Sadamu Samomura, 500,000 former War Minister, has sub- Press. mitted a formal request to the Allied Headquarters for house nrrost instead of imprisonment as an international war criminal sus- than half a cent a pound in the an ameement on the framework duled and prompt removal of col- Russian goodwill.

day on international charges, finery prices on cane and beet its three weeks discussion with-Shimomura, who has been War augar will go up half a cent while out any official disclosure of de-Minister in both the occupation the price of raw cane will be in- tailed plans for giving Koren Cabinets, has been also accused by creased a fraction less. The political freedom. American officers as the man who agency said the increases are It was called to carry out the Possible action limiting Brigave the final death order for the necessary because of the increased terms of the Moscow Conference tigh terms of the possible action limiting Briside to Generalissimo Chiang Kaiexecuted Doolittle filers.

He is asking to remain at home Press. because, he said, he is suffering from periodic asthma attacks requirible injections and also other physical allments which would endanger his health if confined in Suramo prison.—Associated Press.

Scoul, Feb. 8. The only serious outbresk of disease among the Kores occupation troops has been smallpox of which 84 cases resulted in 12 deathe Associated Press.

The Council moved into the Ukrainian demand for action m Indonesia after dropping ca Wednesday night the Russian charges against British forces in Greece, and again, at the ture by improving the living and start of the session, to take up working conditions in rural areas. the Syria-Lebanon request for and by teaching the use of scienti-

troops out of the Levant, American military tribunal in Manuelsky argued that the Bri-Manila was received on Thursday by the Court.

The appeal petitions the Court people," He said the situation to take the Hamma and out of the said the situation. now existing there was a virtual war constituting a menace to the world.

The Homma ampeal reached have made it necessary continue its present session until next Tuesday or Wednesday:

Supreme Court. It reached the favour of the New York city shal J. P. Beria that "difficulties that Kramer could substantiate area as Headquarters for the which Soviet foreign policy has his testimony.—Associated Press. The opinion of observers is United Nations but it appeared encountered in the international that the decision in the Yama- that this controversy might area must not be forgotten."

Support For that the decision in the Yama- that this controversy might area must not be forgotten."

WHANG HO DYKES

Completion by July was to-day pines. Yamashita was convicted predicted for the reconstruction Caucasian Armenia in a border for crimes committed by his of the mile-long break of the Yel- dispute in 1921, low River dykes, noar Chengchow. quest of Luzon in 1945.—Associat- in Honan Province, by Ralph gazine, warned of the tense situa-Olsmtead, U.N.R.R.A. director of tion developing in the Middle East. operations. Lt will restore the huge stream to its former course. advance in May 1938, flooring Agreement On The brenk halted the Japanese. Tokyo. Feb. 8, drowning thousands and leaving Korea amu Samomura, 500,000 homeless. — Associated Korea

effect Sunday, the Office of Price mont. The arrest was redered yester- Administration announced, Re- However, the conference ended Associated Press.

> liberated in August 1945, after commission with Seoul as its per Press. three years in Javanese custody, manent seat. It said the commiswill take command of Camr sion will consult with the demo-Beale. California. on Feb. 15, it cratic molitical parties and social was announced vesterday. ... organisations in all parts of forestall the loss of India's cotton area will begin this week. He

Jones was awarded the Dis- Rores.

and tobacco market in China estimated 60,000 to 70,000 Kozeans tinguished Service Cross Medal. The communique did not state leaves on Thursday for Shanghai in the Pelnine-Tientain region, but for bravery and outstanding ser- whether the present black-out be- and Chunking to arrange resump- said not all of them will be revices, in the Philippine battle of tween the two occumation zones tion of trade and negotiate oredite turned to Korea. Associated Bataan .- Associated Press. | would be lifted .-- Associated Press. | for China. -- Associated Press. | Press. |

In this connection he believed along the Yangtse Valley, With that modern agricultural machinery was more suitable to North China, because the fields there were adapted to the planting of wheat, cotton and other crops of more or less dry soil.

The general stated that rural reconstruction was urgent because the minjority of the Chinese people were, in one way or another. connected with farming. CO-OP SOCIETIES

400,000,000, he said, should be discussione in the Russo-British given an opportunity to resume their occupation in peace and earlier in the week. without interference, They should t be gradually trained to apply new and more effective methods and because, since Manuilsky did not New York to authorised airlines implements. Co-operative societies should be established in all troops, there was no charge that Pan American airways will be able rural districts to assist farmers in the nurchase of their daily a menace to peace .- Associated stop on its route to India .- Assonecessities and sale of their pro-

General Shuch added that China was, in the main, an agricultural country, and yet she was not selfsufficient in rice, flour and other foodstuffs. She also required foreign cotton and woolien textiles.

Evidently, he continued, something was wrong wwith China's agriculture. He thought the chief trouble lay in the insecurity of drastic measures to wipe out bandiry so that farmers and peasants could follow their occupation in

General Shueh added that both U.N.R.R.A. and C.N.R.R.A were in a position to contribute greatly to the revival of China's agriculaction to get British and Prenen, fic farming methods .- Reuter.

London, Feb. 8. A Moscow broadca t to-day quoting the magazine "New peace with Russia." Problems on the Agenda of Times" declared that the war has the United Nations Assembly brought "the changes necessary for Arab countries to obtain na- but it involved only Japanese- pressed" with the activities of tional sovereignty," while in So- British relations. viet Armenia a high official said Kramer took the witness chair added that he hoped American the Armenians wanted "the return in mid-afternoon following Safford scholars and educators could evenof Soviet Armenian land forcibly who left to loud applause from tually enter the Red regions for occupied by Turkey."

Meanwhile, a majority of the the troubled Middle East follow- that the "winds" message meant big nve powers med up in ed a declaration in Tiflis by Mar- war with the United States and this remote area.

> since resigning as Commissar of Internal Affairs to become Vice- Osmena Chairman in the Council of People's Commissars, added that Russian foreign policy was directed toward making another aggressive Shanghai, Feb. 8. war impossible.

Turkey obtained about half The broalcast, quoting the ma-

# -Associated Press.

Scoul, Feb. 7.

cost of Cuban sugar. Associated setting up a five-year trust ceship. The joint-communique said representatives' of the Soviet and Washington, Feb. 7. American commands in Korea had

# At U.N.O.

London, Feb. 8. The Ukranian delegate to the United Nations Organisation. Mr. Manuilsky, protested to-day against conditions in Indonesia and asked the Security Council for "the necessary measures to put an end to this situation."

Manuilsky said he did not ask the withdrawal of British troops and recognised that the presence of Allied troops in some areas might be desirable for emergency reasons. He proposed creation of a commission to investigate on imports, 17,000,000,000 from capisince the Japanese surrender six 000,000 from a production tax.

warmest points when allegations for coal production, enabling r the feeling of tension which - Associated Press. This large part of the nation's characterised many of the heated dispute over the Greek situation The State Department an-

> tain "what I have to answer" landing rights in Brussels and ask the withdrawal of British of each country. Under the pact, the presence of British froops wast to use Brussels as an intermediate

### New Taxes For France

PARIS, FEB. 8.
PLANS FOR NEW TAXES OF MORE THAN 50,000,000,000
FRANCS TO HELP SOLVE
FRANCE'S "DESPERATE"
FINANCIAL PLIGHT WERE
MADE PUBLIC YESTERDAY
BY THE FINANCE MINISTER,
MR ANDRE PUBLIC

In giving the Constituent Assembly's finance commission details of his revenue raising measures, Mr. Philip disclosed that a tentative agreement between President Felix Gouin and high ranking military leaders on the controversial subject of military credits had been reached, providing that army expenditures will not exceed 18,000,000,000 • france

Virages: 1,800,000,000 from gasoline increases, 1,000,000,000 from wine, 900,000,000 from alcohol 7,000,000,000 from increased railway fares, 8.000,000,000 from tobacco, 6,000,000,000 on various the spot and for the establish- tal taxes, 3,000,000,000 from stock ment of pence in the area which profits, 200,000,000 from stock has been disturbed by fighting exchange operations and 6,000. Philip, faced with a 320,000, British Foreign Minister Bevin 000,000 francs 1946 budget dereplied quictly for the most part | ficit, also proposed ending the and the session, even at its State economic subsidies, notably were made and answered, lacked saving of 33..000.000;000 francs.

Washington, Feb. 7. nounced vesterday an interim- air Mr. Bevin said he was not cer- agreement with Belgium granting

## Dramatic Testimony On "Winds" Message

the rural districts, and advocated CAPTAIN A. D. KRAMER YESTERDAY STATED HE SAW ONLY ONE "APPARENT" JAPANESE "WINDS" CODE MESSAGE BEFORE THE PEARL HARBOUR ATTACK AND IT IMPLIED ONLY A JAPANESE BREAK WITH ENGLAND.

In a dramatic moment in une hearings by the Senate-House Student Student by noint the testimony made earlier by Captain L. F. Safford that a message intercepted in Japan's Excharge "winds" code gave Washington 721 hours advance notice that Japan intended war.

as Safford testified that such ary of World Student Relief 4 and that Kramer wrote on it educational and relief organizathe translation: "War with the tions here that he would recom-United States, war with England, mend a freer exchange of students

There was an "apparent" winds message on Dcc. 5, Kramer said.

the crowd filling the big hearing a thorough examination of the The two statements bearing on room after 4-1/2 days' testimony student life and curriculum as

day formally approved a coalition leaders he announced that student wing of the Nacionalista Party. opposing the group dominated by liberated areas. His visit here

The Domocratic Alliance and the Popular Front each placed two candidates in a united front for SINO-RUSSIAN Senatorial posts and followers of Osmena have named twelve candidates. All groups are to sup-, port Omena in the April elec-

An increase of "a little more" representatives to-day announced forms and independence as school helpful in creating Chinesepect on the grounds of ill health, retail price of sugar will go into for a joint provisional govern- laborationists from places of pov- He praised the actions of Gen. grament or economic influence .- George C. Marshall, enecial U.S.

BRITISH IMPORTS TO BE - LIMITED?

tish imports from American shek.—Associated Press. firms in order to conserve available dollars for foreign purchases was suggested yesterday Major-General Albert M. Jones. agreed to set up a ten-member in official circles -- Associated

MR. ANDRE PHILIP.

Phillip's tax programme en-

# WASHINGTON, FEB. 8.

Yenan, Feb. 8. Kranier said it was not true Roland Elliott, executive secretbetween Nationalist and Com-

munist China. Saying he was "greatly imstudents in the Yenan area, he well as the social programme in

He came here he said with the consent of the National Government to determine whether relief allotments for students should be increased. He will recommend a substantial enlargement of the help the World Organization is extending to the Communists, he

Two Liberal-Leftist Parties to: After conferring with student with President Sergio Osmena's relef committees would be set up in Yenan and throughout the the rivel Presidential candidate was pant of a tour throughout most of the Far East.—Associated

Honolulu, Feb. 7. Dr. Hollington Tong, advisor to The Philippine Youth Party has the Chinese Foreign Office, said also agreed to swing its support in an interview here vesterday to Osmena. The united front that Madame Chiang Kai-shek's Washington, Feb. 7. The United States and Russian platform includes agrarian re-recent mission to Manchuria was

> tire country is ready to tackle I.C.S.N. Co. S.S. "WO SANG" problems of relief, stabilisation envoy to China, and said the enand reconstruction. 'Dr. Tong will London. Feb. 8. remain coveral days to visit with Operator P. & O. S.S. "SARPEN"

Peiping, Feb. 7. . U.S. Brig.-Gen. Louis Jones, Marine Commander in the Pei-Bombay, Feb. 7. ping area, announced the repatria-

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REPATRIATION OFFICE. 8th February, 1946.

Lansing, Michigan, Feb. 8. Horold Stassen, former Governor of Minnesota, frequently menas Republican candidate for the Presidency, to-day declared the U.N.O. gradually should climinate the single power veto allowed to major pations in the U.N.O. Security Council. Stassen was a member of the

United States delegation to the San Francisco Conference which drafted the U.N.O. Oharter. In a Michigan State College address Stassen asserted that under

the exact terms of the Charter. Russia and Britain should not have been allowed a veto in the recent Council debates on question of the status of Greece and Iran. Those two nations were "Interested parties to the dispute and should have stepped aside,

he anid.

Answering questions from the audlence. Stassen said the United the peoples of the world" the adociated Press.

gress yestorday.

tor Lucus. Democrat of Illinois, would ratify acts inimical to the also instructs the War and Navy interests of the United Nations. Departments to make a survey of banks and of other institutions, of housing, food and medical sun 1

Democrat of Oklahoma, who stipu- | trol.-Associated Press. lated that specific appropriations would be required to finance the trips.—Associated Press. trips.-Associated Press.

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Memb is ate requested lattend a Meeting to be held st the lu-house on Sunday, the 10th inst., at 4 p.m. to discuss. the re-orening of the Club.

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## Yenan On The Downgrade

(By John Roderick).

YEN, FEB. 8. THIS CHINESE COMMUNIST CAPITAL WHICH DUR-ING THE WAR YEARS GREW IN SIZE FROM 20,000 TO 60,000 PEOPLE IS ON THE DOWNGRADE AGAIN.

HE EXODUS FROM THE CAPE CITY HAS BEEN CONSTANT SINCE THE END OF THE WAR WITH JAPAN, LONG CARAVANS OF PEOPLE HAVE BEEN WINDING THEIR WAY IN AND OUT OF THE LOESS FALLEYS TAKING THOUSANDS TO THE HOMES THEY QUIT YEARS AGO TO COME TO THE SAFETY OF YENAN. THERE ARE NOT MORE THAN 30,000 PEOPLE IN THE CITY BY CONSERVATIVE ESTIMATE.

# ruman Hits

Washington, Feb. 8. President Truman has veloc. lands in the Pacific Ocean under transactions under Japanese ad- and facilities for production are cd .- Associated Press. U.N.O. trustseship "reporting to ministration of the Philippines. He said he disapproved the vancoment of native peoples .- As- | measure because it "would giv. official sanction to Japanese acta list China that the Communict in forcing the liquidation of the party plans to shift its capital business of loyal Filipinos, Ameri- from Yenan to Kalgan in the

cans and Allles." He velocd the measure after I asked Gen. Chu Teh. Red Paul V. McNutt, U.S. High Com- | Commander-in-Chief: about this Lagislation removing any dis- missioner in the Philippines, had the other day, before the end of crimination between enlisted men | recommended | disapproval | be- | the Chungking conference. | and officers as to government cause it would validate payments paid transportation of their fami- made in Japanese flat pesos . . benefit enemy collaborators and it may be one day we will be in The Bill, introduced by Sena- the subjects of Axis powers; Nanking." including the government-owned

New York, Feb. 8. New York cotton futures prices moved higher as a result of persistent mill buying to meet textile orders and speculative buying of distant delivery congracts. Quotations were as follows:-

March, 25.47; May, 25.46; July New Orlean's couton futures

wer quiet. In the New York stock market, heavy selling of distillery shares in anticipation of President Truman's order prohibiting the use of grains for whisky sent prices down three to five points in this

to gain fractionally, however, as taxes amounted to as much as 50 lay withdrawal beyond the deadthe possession of Mr. K. Y. Lee the possibility that the strike in (Lee Kai Yan). They show that industry would be settled

Price changes in other indusresignation, and on the 16th the trial groups were irregular al-Sze On & Company accepted the though declines were slightly in resignation with expressions of the majority.-Associated Press.

PRESIDENT'S HINT ON RATIONING

Washington, Feb. 8. President Truman said yesterday he would call for a return to meat rationing in the United States if it becomes necessary to prevent ten to fifteen million people from starving to death.

Australia's policy Southwest Pacific is directed toward the maintenance of regional security in that area and the mandated territories by mutual agreement with other United Nations, the External Affairs Minister, Dr. Herbert Evatt, asserted to-day,

Security Council, he and, add the dissident elements. to trusteeship status.

to help keep the increased popu- were several cases where his square miles, government would not oppose the Dissident groups are composed Bouth, Denler Many are heading for the big- establishment of American bases principally of elements of Tur- Both sides vulnerable States should take jurisdiction a bill which would have legalized | ger cities like Kalgan and Chang- in the Southwest Pacific if Ausover all Japanese mandated is certain financial and business teh where opportunities are botter tralian sovereignty is not violat- key originated from Sinking).

## There have been numerous un-| confirmed reports from Nationa-

Honolulu, Feb. S. The "Los Angeles Times' of moving from Yenan." he re- publisher, Norman Chandler, lies to overseas stations was in- and deny injured parties the right plied, then added with a smile: said yesterday he would like to troduced in both Houses of Con- to contest such payments; would "If everything turns out all right, "see Pearl Harbour maintained as a strong naval base along all over the Pacific."

The war's end was a boon in | Chandler and other publishers plies available in foreign occur 'd Philippines National Bank; would many wave to blockaded. Yenan, left for Guam on the second leg make solvent the life Insurance A prolonged drought had reduced of their five-week tour of the The House measure was-intro- companies which operated in the crop yields as much as 50 per Pacific. He said he favoured duced by Representative Johnson, Philippines under Japanese con-cent and famine threatened. With the maintenance of a sizeable its swollen wartime population it army garrison in Hawaii and the faced tremendous shortages, per- strengthening of Hawnii beyond hans even starvation. Then when pre-war status. - Associated the war ended the population Press.

Chungking, Feb. 7. China is consulting Russia on of district self-government; four trumps and four clubs and had To-day the same situation was Information, K. C. Wu, told newson hand. No one died of hunger | question.

kind was increased from four per | been no formal Soviet reducst for | Turki would be taught in the | bis c ntract. cent, to six or seven but the pea-, an extension of the deadline of schools and the teaching of the sants took it cheerfully. One February 1 for the completion of Chinese language would not be recalled that 10 years ago before the withdrawal and China had compulsory. Steel Company shares managed the land redistribution here the made no request to Russia to de-

drawal.-Associated Press.

# U.S. Plans For Navy Of

WASHINGTON, FEB. S. THE NAVY REVEALED TO-DAY POST - WAR PLANS FOR A FLEET OF 319 FIGHTING SHIPS READY AND READY "FOR INSTANT ACTION" LAUNCH 3,627 PLANES.

A force of 176 warming the pacific and helmitic. as well a two reserve fleets, Navy Secretary Forrestal said in his annual Property said the Flect plan would be effective on the commission of demobilisation next Autumn.

These post-war Fleets now planned include the following for five-day city-wide dragnet to conthe Pacific:-Nine carriers, nine fiscate stolen Japanese military escort carriers, two 45,000-ton food and clothing on Feb. 12, talks on the reorganisation of babileships, 20 cruisers, 81 des- newspapers reported. The search troyens, 16 destroyer-escorts and will include all warehouses in the almost daily.

89 submarines. carriers, three 35,000-ton battle- ed between the surrender and oc China), as adviser to the Threeships, eight cruisers and 18 des- cupation. troyers. Additional forces in- Newspapers said that the police working out a formula of reclude hundreds of such other craft | will not touch goods legally owned | organisation. is taking most acas transports, amphibious vessels by companies and individuals and tive interest in every detail and and special purpose ships both will make not criminal charges on development in the work of the active and in reserve.

when due to evolution of now the military. uncertain." - Associated

ARREST ORDERED.

Tokyo, Feb. 7. General MacArthur to-day ordered the arrest as a war criminal suspect of Lieutenant-Gencral Tedatchiro "Morimoto. Comto March 1944.

ed to be delivered to the Sugamo | stant. Henry Chiu, Associated prinon .-- Associated Press. ":

Tokyo, Feb. 8. Metropolitan police will begin a

the basis of this investigation. It committee. Forrestal made no apecific is reported that government con-

cently approved. - Associated middle of this month.-Reuter.

Tokvo, Feb. 8. Helang Che-chun, chief prosecuas associate prosecutor in the Morimoto was one of 18 summeet- international war criminals case. ed Japanere War Oriminals order- He was accompanied by his as-

## Dissidents In Sinkiang

CHUNGKING, FEB. 8 CLASHES HAVE BEEN CONTINUING IN SINKIANG "BECAUSE OF CHUNGKING'S FAILURE TO RATI-FY THE TRUCE AGREEMENT" REACHED AT THE CAPITAL OF THE DISTANT PROVINCE DURING THE RECENT NEGOTIATIONS RE-TWEEN GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S = = : SPECIAL ENVOY, GEN. CHANG CHI-CHUNG, AND REPRESENTATIVES OF DISSIDENTS IN SIN-KIANG.

The scope and character of the If necessary, such agreements clashes were not indicated in rewould be made subject to the ports which reached Chungking approval of the United Nations through quarters sympathetic to

ing that there was a likelihood | Expansion of the territory unof the negotiation of an agree- |der their control is estimated to ment with the U.N.O. trustee- have placed one-third of Sinship council for the transfer of kinng in the hands of the dis-Australian-mandated territories sidents. The total area of Sinking is variously estimated Dr. Evatt stated that there between 400,000 and 600,000

kish blood (the people of Tur-

Reports alleged that as a result of elections held in May, 1945, a President was elected and the areas under control of the dissidents were proclaimed the H. Q 8,6 5 2 "Republic of Eastern Tur- D. A Q 9 7 W kestan." The president of this "Republic" is said to be Alim C. 6 3 Khan Tore (pronounced Torry), ı 58-year-eld Turki.

ARMY ISSUE The reports said Chang Chichung and three delegates representing Alim Khan Tore drafted a treaty which Ghiang Kai-shek refused to ratify De- South and to have our forces scattered cause it enabled the dissident to 18. form of a militia. Fresh negotiations are expected to begin within the next few weeks and South nonchalamly dropped his with a view to reaching a final Kingl West naturally assumed South

> treaty were reported to have free fire no. East wisely refused to been: firstly, there should be play his club Queon, but the jig was three governors in Sinking --- a up anyway. senior one appointed by the Chinese Central Government and two chosen by the dissidents dummy and drew four rounds of but subject to Chungking's con- of be failed to drop East's Queen. firmation; secondly, the dis- South had to locate the heart Queen sidents would be granted" to fulfill his contract. That was easy "limited autonomy" in the form enough, for East had shown up with

of starvation in this same area. from Manchuria, the Minister of thirdly, there would be remishable have been been at least time. sion of taxes, for three years have been based on at least four diamet consortably with the reserves men to-day in reply to an insistent because of the exorbitant levies hand with at most a singleton heart. imposed by the former Chinese | outh therefore took the Ace of hearts The Communist land tax in However, Wu said, there has governor of Sinking; fourthly, and finessed through west to fulfill

NOTE TO CHUNGKING was an emergency one and will | Wu said that transportation dif-Chinese authorities at Tihwa, steered way from a diamond conthe Communist leaders say.—As- in the delay of the Russian with the capital, requesting the im- tinuation, he might have led a second. mediate return there of Gen. Chang Chi-chung, who, it is rumoured, would have been appointed Chief Governor of Sinking, if the agreement had been

> but unconfirmable allegations you held: that despite the Sino-Soviet treaty, in which Russian undertook not to interfere in China's Internal Affairs, the dissidents have been receiving arms from Soviet territory in exchange for furs, livestock and minerals.

Sources close to the dissidents claim that they have occupied Chingho, an oil production centre, some 200 miles southwest of Tihwa. These wells are reported to be under operation by the acceptance of your partner's strong Russians .- Associated Press.

Ohungking, Feb. 8. The Kuomintang-Communist Communist troops are going on partner and, with both sides vulnerable,

capital seeking vast quantities of | General George Marshall (Pre-Ready reserve includes -- two military supplies which desappear- sident Truman's special envoy to Man Committee charged with

It is lourned that General mention of the forthcoming atomic trol agencies will purchase at of- Manshall, along with the Kuobomb tests on sea-power, but said ficial prices goods which are mintage representative, General. the "plan is advanced at the time identified as formerly belonging to Chang Chih chung. Minister of Political Affairs of the National weapons of warfare, long-term | Meanwhile, Sankuro Ogasaware Military Council; and the Com- To-morrow). future composition of all branche! said that restoration; of Japan's munist negotiator, General Chou the armed forces is particu- economy would begin by prospec- En-lai, will carry out an inspective importation of 20,000 tons of tion tour of the Hauchow area raw cotton which Washington re- in northern Kinngau about the

public of its reaction to the deci- ment soon outlining stope to curb sion by General MacArthur that American consumption of wheat General Yamashita must hang, and wheat products to help feed according to Colonel H. I. T. hungry populaces abroad. The ers of War Campa from July 1942 arrived in Tokyo to assume duties | Creswell, Chief of the Allied problem was discussed at an Hondquenters counter-intelligence, hour's exhinet session with memcident has been reported." Ores; ing the subject matter, Associatwell said.-Associated Press. ed Press.

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Note that South lost nothing by dropping the diamord King, since it would have do e him no particular good to be able to discard a club or The dissidents have sent a heart from the dummy Note also have had to guess the locati n of at least one Queen and perhaps both.

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London, Feb. 8. This, season marks the 75th year of the Football Asseciation Cup's existence. One; that Cup was stolen.

The first Cup -- the present one is the third made to the original pattern---was taken from a Birmingham shop window when Aston Villa publicity dosplayed their prize in 1905,

In 1911 the Football Asserias tion honoured its President Lord Kinnaird, who had been in five Cup winning teams and tested. played in nine finals, by presenting him the second Cup.

The actual value of the present trophy, which has been as howing Grewary held by Portsmouth since ,939, elab rately well carved in £25. Portsmouth has so been composite with a chiesta | Recepting it in the vacults of bigger cover at M de 1 de, beend bank during the war years. Tak-fal, former Kwong Wah cen- Q but the Cup was taken out for tre-forward. will polish the trophy, for they fell in the third round at the

hands of Birmingham. This year's Cup ties are not FORFIGN company requires 3 or unite the same as pre-war, as perturbed. MacNamara their leftthe home and away principle half will be an absentee owing to or un urnished pply Box No 65 tends to climinate the "sudden illness but the Commandos are death atmosphere," but the sure of fielding a side which will ul ry is stil There.

which makes this £25 Cup the a surprise, biggest prize in England's national sport and the biggest money spinner in any game, Reuter,

WOODERSON IN TRAINING

London, Feb. 8. Britain's packet-runner, bess pactacled Sydney Wooderson, is getting fit for next year's track WANTE : on experienced Cht. scason, which promises to be the resumption of the Europeau to field a strong side,

championships, exercise "over the pleagh" in running in cross-country wents which, he says, increased his stamina.

national over longer distances, side. Surday, 5th, Funday oft r Eliphany | and is not likely to be as his efommunion at 7 15 man c 00 forts in this direction are to a.m 11.30 a.m. & 730 .m. Matthe keep fit rather than win wedals. -Reuter,

SQUASH MATCH

A friendly squash match will be played at the Yacht Club Shanghai Bank.

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CAUSEWAY BAY GROUND WILL BE THE VENUE OF THOUSANDS OF FOOTBALL FANS THIS WEEK-END WHEN THE FOUR LEADING AND UNBEAT. EN TEAMS MEET IN THE FOOTBALL LEAGUE. THE RESULTS OF THESE GAMES WILL HAVE VERY IMPORTANT BEARING ON THE CHAM-PIONSHIP TITLE.

THE FOUR TEAMS, COMMANDOS, NAPY "B," SOUTH CHINA AND EASTERN, HAVE EACH DROPPED A POINT SO FAR AND THERE IS LITTLE DIFFER-ENGE IN THE GOAL AT ERAGES, A FACTOR JUTHICH MAY COUNT IN THE CHAMPIONSHIP RAČE LATER ON.

ton in 1932.

is only 21 years of age, scored

clared the innings closed at 619

HUDDERSFIELD CAPTURE

John Anderson, one the stars

over New Zealand Army rugby

I played his last game as an ama-

Czecho-Slovakia and is shortly to

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The third shipment of Chinese

On account of import restric-

der tood, be Jimited to 1,000 tons.

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Importations into Malaya are

WILL ROGERS' SON

Will Rogers, Jr., son of the

late humourist, to-day an-

nounced he will be a candidate

for the democratic nomination

California. William F. Know-

land. Republican, is the incum-

Regers was elected a Repre-

The Story of the Invisible Army of the Philipp nes!

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F-K-O Padio Picture

for United States Senator for

Los Angeles, Feb. 8.

A CANDIDATE

be demobbed.—Reuter.

Huddersfield, Feb. 8.

for three wickets .- Reuter.

To-day's main game is between Commandos and Easter'i and should be very evenly con- New Cricket

Eastern are none too confident of success and have not forgotten that their defence conceded two goals to Civilians "A" in their last game. They have brought Hau Ching-to, their fast left-winger, from Chaton especially for this game and have recruited Chan

every Portsmooth have matcher. Added to this they will be play given a polish and exhibited in the Chang Kam-hoi, who was sent playing for Barbades against the Club board ro m. This will off the field recently and whose Trinidad, put on 574 runs for be the last season that the club case has not yet been heard, in the the fourth wicket, beating the

With these players the Eastern for a first wicket partnership) team, on paper, is very strong, but by Holmes and Sutcliffe for Commandos in spite of further loss of players are by no means? give the Chinese a good same and On that occasion Worred, who

DEFENCES GOOD Both defences are good. Jack 308. This time he made 255 2nd \$50, 3rd \$25. will have his hands full agains. Hau Ching-to but hould do well, not out, the Barbos captain de-Headon, Wilk s. Wn te and Johnson can be relied upon in defence and if Commando for wards get going early in the gamthey should win,

The Navy "A"-RA.F. affair should also be worth watching. Air Force after a shaky start have in recent games greatly imthe best for many years with proved while Navv are still able responsible for Scotland's win

To morrow South China an't touring side last month, has He is taking his customacy Navy "B" met at Causeway Bay Navy will probably be represented by the same team as in previous rames, though Crawford and Griffith were slightly injured dur-Ing the Chinese New Year games, Wooderson is not yet in inter- | South China will field their usual

> WEEK-END FIXTURES The following, is the programme for the week-and; ---TO-DAY

Navy "A" v. R.A.F. (Navy ground, at 2.15 p.m.) merchandise to Singapore after Referee :-- RPO, J. R. Bartlett. the end of the war will go forward Linesmen: -- Sor. G. Thorne and by the s.s. "Menelaus" this month Sor, D. Cherrie.

v. 44 R.M. Cdo, tions the quantity will, it is un-(Navy ground, at 3.45 p.m.) Referen: -- C.P.O. J. H. Rovers. The first shipment in the "Em-Linesmen:-I/S. D. Sparrow pire Allenby" took 2,000 tons, and and Mr. E. Taylor.

Kwong Wah v. Civilians "B" (Recreio pround at 3:45-p.m.) Referee: Set. L. Pollitt. Linesment-Messrs, N. T. Del- now subject to import licence. gado ant A. R. Samy.

TO-MORROW Civilian "A" v. R. Engineers (Chatham Road, at 3.45 p.m.) Referee:-Mr. A. McCorkindale, Linesmen:-Mr. J. A. Tibble and Spr. G. Thorne.

South China "A" v. Navy "B" (Navv.ground. at 3.45 p.m.) Referee:-Mr. K. K. Iv. Linesmen:-Lt. L. G. Young and Mr. F. A. Barretto.

TEAMS Royal Navy will be represented bent. by the following teams. Navy "A" v. R.A.F. (Canseway sentative while in the army in Bay, to-day, 2.15 p.m.); Cham- 1942 but resigned the next year

bers; Swash. Cornish; Jones to rejoin his command. -- As-L'ewelen, Anderson: McNicol sociated Press. Hamblyn, Jam's, Franklin and Navy "B" v. South China (Causeway Bay, to-marrow, 3.45

p.m.): Bax; Brice. Hove; Carr, Benson, Hammond: Griffith, Crawford, Wills, Feenan and Frazer. The following will represent

To-D y 1t 2.30, 5.15 7.45, 9 45, Procter: Col. Lennox, Cpl. EXCITING! DRAMATIC! TRUE! lon and Brooks, 12th Man Cowan, Eastern:-Chu Shui hang; Fok Yui-wah and Hau Yung-sang; Lo Wai-kuen. Hul King-seng and Cheung Kam-roi: Tang Kwongsum. Fung King-cheong, Chan Tak-fai, Lai Shui-wing and Hau Ching-to.

BRITAIN'S NEW PLANES Burbank, Feb. 8. The British Oversens Aircraft Corporation has bought five fast Constellation transports for use in the trans-Atlantic service next Summer, it was disclosed

The planes will be delivered next May, the Lockhend Aircraft Corp. sald. - Associated

ITALIAN SPLIT

Rome, Feb. 8. Three members of the Action

The Military Race Meeting in ald of the Commander-In-Chief's Hong Kong Distress Fund will be held at Harmy Valley to-morrow ampling, at 1.30 p.m.

In all there are five races and most of the ponies and riders participated in the last meeting on New Year's Day. . The following is the programme:--

1.-2.00 p.m. THE FOOCHOW HANDIOAP. 4 fur.ongs. Catch weights, distance handicap for Ones IH ponies. Winner \$100. 2nd \$50. 3rd \$25.

Dorcen (50), Capt. Grey; Duke (30), Opt. Hulls; Flicker (Scr.) Ptc. Bartholomew: Inshalla (50) Ptc. Valen, ine; Jacobus (70), Lac. Towell; Lady Jane (20), A. N. Other: Mouse (20), Sqn.-L. Jenkins.

2.—2.40 n.m. THE CHUNG KING STAKES, 4 furlongs, Catch weights distance handlean for Class II ponies. Winner \$100, 2nd \$50, 3rd \$25.

Nigger (Ser.), Col. Foster; Trinidad, Feb. 8. Prince (50), Opl. Payne; Stardust A new world record in first (10). L'Opl. Joines; Starlight class cricket was made at the (Scr.), Maf. Gaskell; Tony (50) L/Bdr. Dayson. Queen's Park Oval here to-day 3.-3.20 p.m. THE SERVICES when Worrell and Walcott, RACE CLUB DERBY, 6 furlongs Catch weichts, distance handican for Class I ponies. Winner \$100. 2nd \$50, 3rd \$25, previous best total (compiled) Autumn Rose (40), Maj. Hodgman: Blueb'rd

Other: Inckie Yorkshire against Essex at Ley-| Courage: Majasali (90), A. N. Other: Mavfair (40), Mac. Mellor: Resalder (Scr.), Lt.-Comd. The West Indies-already held the best fourth wicket partner-Howes: Sanci (120), Lt.-Col. ship of 502 established two years 4.-4.00 p.m. THE SHANGHAI ago by Worrell and Goddarl. HANDICAP, 4 furlances, Catch

weights, distance, handlean for Cinca IV ponies. Winner \$100. and with Walcott making 319 Anthony (90), W/Cdr. Chad-| wick: Geysha (90), A. N. Other: Goldy ("0), Col. Ford: Maria (Ser.). Fus. Montague: Mary (Ser.), Col. Porter; Moses (30) Comd. Parker; Tom (30), Col.

Perceval-Price. fi.—4,40 p.m. THE CANTON SCURRY. 3 furlongs. Catch weights, distance handienn for Mongolian ponies. Winner \$100. 2nd \$50, 3rd \$25.

Bingo (Ser.), L/Bdr. Dayson; Charley Chase (90), Mai, Hodgman: Dusty. (40), Pie. Brennen: teur. Anderson, who is 26 and Jennie (80), Mne Lakin: Koko a native of Hawick, has been (30), Pie. Hunter: Mongotian Fox signed by the Huddersfield Rug- (50), A. N. Other: Sharney (40). hy League Club. He was for Lac. Towell; To Jo (90), Pte. three years a prisener-of-war in Fleming

D.C.A. ARRIVING

General D. F. Anderson, the Director of Civil Affairs, who is now in Singapore, is expected to arrive in Hong Kong in a few days in the course of a tour of inspection of the SEAC area.

of Eastbourne" exceeded 5,000 At 230, 5.15 7.15 & 9.15 pm.

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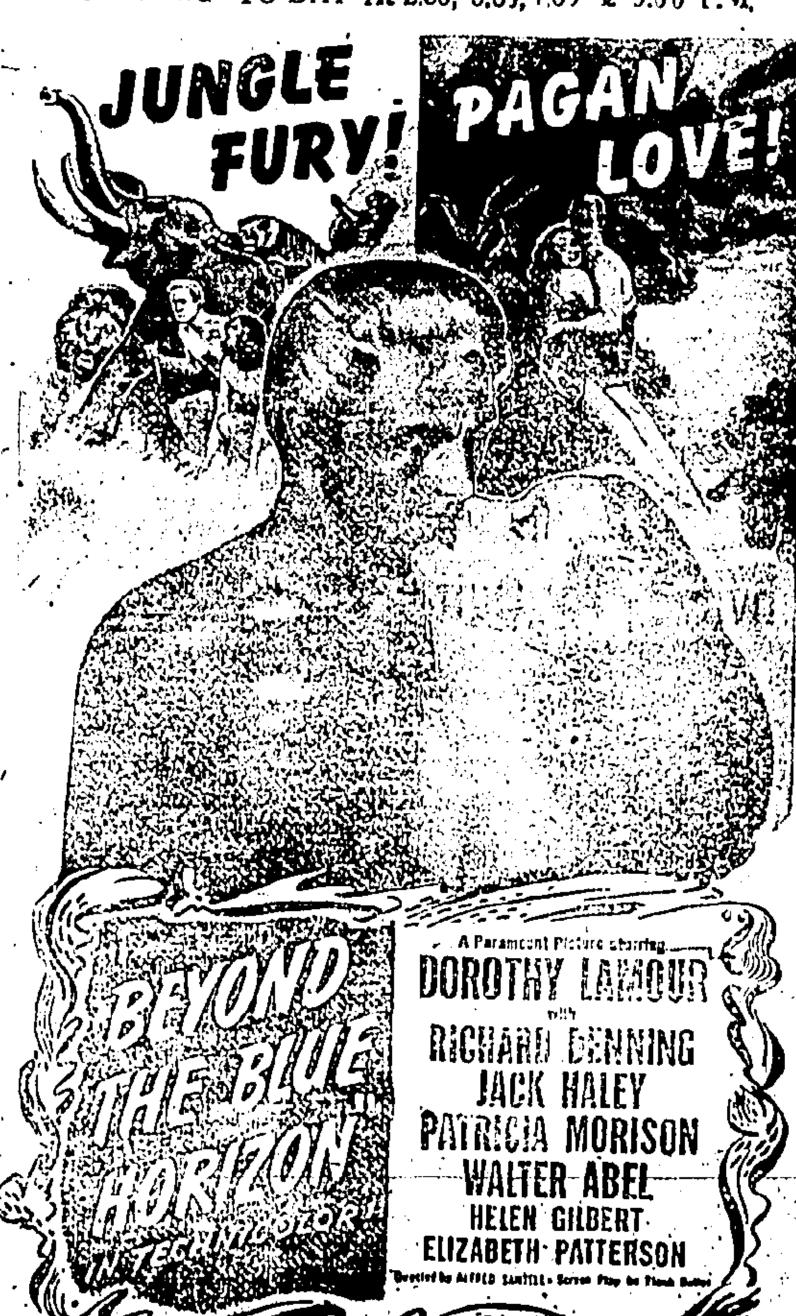
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when enber-wielding mounted Then the police charged.

After greeting Tambovini on the return from his campaign tour hundreds of his followers Several were injured to-day started a parade; and cheering.

police charged on a crowd had Earlier one was killed and two ginning a demonstration for wounded when shots were fired Tamborini, democratic from automobiles on persons union Presidential candidate, putting up Peron posters. - Aswho is opposing Colonel Junn sociated Press.

### SHANGHAI PREPARING FOR TRADE REVIVAL

### Civvies wanted

Wash natour Web. 8. Wanted" sign for civilians to replace soldiern and techniclans stationed in the Philippines, Japan and Korea. and repair radio. and telephone and electric power equipments Associated

### Pellical Tension In Japan

drawn tarker between the Communical and opposition grouns the Japanese pres reported, as indications of growing unemploy ment and public displeasure with food no adjustment sharpens. what may be basic issues of the tariff. for the connectaments

their previous demand for the removat of the Emograph The new party policy proposes a plebese to on the fature status of ly enforced.

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SHANGHAI, FEB. 8. IN PREPARATION FOR THE DAY WHEN A NEW FOR-EIGN EXCHANGE IS FIXED, WHEN EXPORT BUSI-NESS CAN BE STARTID ON A LARGE SCALE CHINESE MERCHANTS HERE ARE REPORTED TO BE BUSILY ACCUMULATING NATIVE PRODUCTS FOR SHIPMENT ABROAD.

THE GOODS THEY HAI'T SO FAR COLLECTED FOR SUCH A PURPOSE ARE SAID TO INCLUDE OF EX 700 TONS OF TUNG OIL, 30,000 PIGULS CONE PICUL EQUALS 133 LBS.) OF HOG BRISTLES 10,000 PICULS OF RAW SILK, 200,000 PICULS OF WOOL, 300,000 PICULS OF TEA, THREE MILLION PIECES OF COW HIDES AND SHEEP AND OTHER He added that one complicating SKINS, AND WELL OFER 30 MILLION PICULS OF factor was that funerals had al-

Chinese reports state that a that exporters do not find the big scheme is under contem- time propitious yet. plation by the various Chines: "They don't relish the present Government banks to extend system whereby they must decredit loans to Chinese mer- posit the foreign-exchange prochants to assist them in the deve- coeds of their exports with the topment of import and export Bank of China, to be held for an

no less than \$36,367,300,000 cap- yet known. Such a situation proximately £8,500,000) will be volves a number of undesirable ndded to the Chinese Customs (if not downright impossible elerevenue as a result of the des | ments---first the temporary loss Political battle lines are being cision to raise the import tariff of working capital, and again such as cigarettes, wines, sugar how much Chinese national curand beer.

to 50 per cent of the original an almost impossible situation

Communes a have announced a duty on imported rolled tobacco know whether they are offering three day convention here begin will be raised 40 per cent, on cheap or expensive goods until ning 1'eb. 24 highlight ng an sugar 50 per cent, on foreign they discover the exchange rate " intensive publicity drive to crass wines and beers 40 per cent, and The paper adds that it has on native wines 20 per cent as heard rumours that the fixing of against the rate of levy previous- a new official rate may have to

That export cargo is, not ""Ke do" reported the creation moving as it should and would white's front" from Shanghai at present is re- soning is that the National Gov-Igretted by the "Shanghai Evenling Post," American daily here. in an editorial, which says the soon as more goods arrive and situation certainly is not due to lany lack of accumulated cargo. SPECULATIVE, BUBBLE The plain fact, it asserts, is

## Medieval Survivors Of The Blitz

LONDON, FEB. 8. ONLY TWO OF SOME OF LONDON'S LOVELIEST OLD BUILDINGS, THE HALLS OF THE CITY LIVERY COMPANIES CURVIVED THE BLITZ IN-

ТАСТ. HIDDEN FOR THE MOST PART IN HINDING BY WAYS FER OF THE BUILDINGS ATTRACTED = YET TILEMUCH NOTICE FROM PASSERSBY. LON. ON OF THE PUDORS LIFED THROUGH THEM.

to measevar ags when workers of broken bricks remains of this meanwhile, gathering impressions replied in the House of Commons organisation in Snanghan. and tracers, trong in the same building designed by Unigo for a broaleast the is to make on to complaints by Flight-Lieutenant. Sino-British relations, he conselves into Gumas which became. Another left in rains was the He canalt signt of the impres. Ministry's re-settlement and voca- of cordina and smooth operation. known as Levery Companies on Hall of the Mercers, the Com- sive figure of Sir A. Ramaswam, tional training schemes for ex- it was the purpose of this organiaccount of the distinctive badges pany of Sir Richard Whitting- Mudaliar, India's Chi.f Delegate. Sorvicemen.

and accres they adopted. Most of their frans reflect an famous Lord Mayor. turies old.

Washington, Feb. 8. Korean circles in Washington received pessimistically news of the establishment of a Russo-American Commission in

the Korean Affairs Institute, Agincourt, the crypt to 1375, the Korean Affairs Institute, Agincourt, the Cappelling was which is a self-styled independent and much of the panelling was Hurley the United States, said: "This is in many cases, Guild mem-

mirsion "should bow out or leave carved and panelled walls, the Koren to settle its own affairs." staircases and decorated ceil-Benc Limb. Chairman of the ings. Korean Provisional Government huthorities .- Associated Press.

MOVE TO STOP U.S. HELP

said he would ration meat again and Wax Chandlers. if necessary in order to increase | Eleven severely damaged were tend to be "sympathetic toward

ing shortages. Associated Prest Reuter.

All traced their history-back the 14th century. Only a heap Nations General Assembly, and

ton, probably London's mest

architectural unity arising from The Mercers were the only know Sir Ramaswami and a moreconstruction after the Great Company to possess a Chape, ment later the slight schoolboy not got into operation as quickly. Mr. Han added that when com-Fire of 1666. Those built more housed in a group of Careline and the senior etatesman wer as they would have liked owing to mercial, political and maneial recently boast title to sites cen- buildings said to contain some shaking hands. Soon he was the unexpected ending of the intercourse of the two countries of the finest rooms in the city, eagerly questioning the Indian de- Japanese war but ther we 30 was restored to normal standards One of the 20 Halls destroyed The court room, with its panel- legate with the ease of a practical transfer of the Association was that of the beginning of ling broken by Lonic bilasters. Alced interviewer. the hall with its carved panels of Before they parted. Sir Rama 15 temporary offices would be Mr. Ho, speaking on behalf of fruit and flowers and the marble swami told the youth. "I have a opened in the next three months. Mayor Chien Ta-chun, said it was

been destroyed. MERCHANT TAYLORS of the Merchant Taylors, the Jonathan promised he would. largest Hall in London, whose everyday rooms had samples of as a B.B.C. feature and at about architecture ranging from the a quarter past seven in the even 14th century to the 17th. The ing. Indian time.-Associated Yong Jeung Kim. Provident of giant kitchen dated back to Press.

nothing more than a re-statement bers managed to save ancient of the Moscow agreement."

Kim urged the Commission "to ing hundreds of years old. But set Koren free within six months" ings hundreds of years old. But failing which he said the Com- no rescue work could save the

The two Halls which were to Russia and the Colonial pow- peace. said "Fo.en will never accept not damaged to any extent were ers, the United States is "using | He said that he considered But that does not indicate. Mr. DAY. trustceship" and urged that the those of the Apothecaries and America's economic strength ic the adoption of the proposal and Ogden said, that British, interest nution be allowed to hold elections | Vintners, while only slight damto determine Korea's national age was inflicted on the Armourers and Braziers, Founders and bassader to China last autumn general statement drawn last the two countries have been closer one African soldier and four Jows

duced legislation to halt tem- Joiners, Leathersellers, Mercers, sien and lack of clear directive porarily exports of grain a short Merchant Taylors, Painters, and lack of discipline in he time after President Truman had Parish Clerks, Saddlers, Salters State Department." He said

SOYA BEANS.

indefinite time until payment on

Meanwhile, it is learned that a basis of an exchange rate not on a number of luxury articles, the uncertainty of knowing just | rency will be forthcoming even-The increase ranges from 20 | tually. This latter factor creates regarding prices to be charged Under the revised tariff, the buyers abroad-exporters don't

wait until some such time as next autumn.

"The theory behind such rea-Ternment expects a sharp decline in open market quotations as [prick the speculative bubble. We ean\_see good reason for expecting lower open market rates but [see likewise some exceedingly good reasons for as early a restoration of normal trade as pos-Imports after all depend in at least some degree on exports, and while exports arstrangled the arrival of imports is bound to be simitarly reduced in volume in spite of temporary factors which keep them coming in some measure."--Reuter.

# Great Moment

London, F.b. 8. Jonathan Boswers, a 12-year-old schoolboy, stood in the lobby of Ceparal Hall on Tours day, watch ing world cerebricies at the United

"I would like to meet him" Jona-

than said. His companion happened to over 30,000 people.

staircase leading to it have all son of your age in India. He is By the end of the year, they gratifying to see the organisation certain to be listening so will would have 77 training centres in of such an important body as th you include a special message for operation, providing 33,500 places Sino-British Cultural Association. him. Tell him you have met mo which on a six-months training Also destroyed was the home and convey my ercetings to him."

Jonathan's talk is to be given

St. Louis, Feb. 3.

that some Department officials shipments abroad.

Hal's measure would ban export unless the Secretary of Agriculture finds sufficient orain distributed to prevent any areas distributed to prevent any areas the United States from suffer.

The Cutlers, Drapers, Dyers, the objectives of Russian imperialism and communism and mortars are perialism and communism and mortars are perialism and communism and mortars are perialism and communism that it is a sufficient orain the Indonesians had been shell toward or supporting colonial Gombel, Just south of Semarang. The Indonesians had been shell imperialism and monopoly.

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## Nip Soldiers Finding It

Premier Shidehara appealed for more public consideration of repatriated Japanese servicemen in a nation-wide broadcast last night and promised utmest Government efforts to relieve their situation.

Returning servicemen have known the "sorrow of distilusionment." said the Premier. ready been held for many of the 40,000 soldiers who were considered to have been "lost" and who subsequently have return-

Officials of the Government told Associated Press that the abroad. repatriated servicemen are l the public indifference to their "present situation and past sa-

sions and other relief measures have expressed hopes for the has minimised the aid given re- widening of contacts between patriated servicemen, said these Soviet and other Muslims now officials. They said readjust- | that the war is over. ment was one of the main problems of the Government but it backward states, where the malacks personnel for any adequate jority of Soviet Muslims attempts to keep track of the ac- located, is one of the most imtivities of servicemen after be- pressive achievements of ing demobilised.

ciated Press.

# SINO-BRITISH

CULTURAL SHANGHAI, FEB. 8.

TO FOSTER SINO-BRITISH A SINO-BRITISH C U I TURAL ASSOCIATIONHAS BEEN FORMED HERE. AT THE INAUGURAL MEETING OFER 100 DISTIN-GUISHED BRITISH AND CHINESE PERSONAGES WERE PRESENT, INCLUDING MR. A. G. N must be observed, however, be-OGDEN, BRITISH CONSUL-GENERAL; MR. T. K. fore one can enter an institute HO, DEPUTY MAYOR OF SHANGHAI; MR. CHEN of divinity—conditions which KILO-LIEN, DIRECTOR OF THE SHANGHAL OF. provide for the enlightened min-KIFO-LIEN, DIRECTOR OF THE SHANGHAL OF. ority. Each candidate for FICE OF THE FOREIGN MINISTRY; AND SIR priesthood must first have pass-correct CALDER-MARSHALL, FORMER CHAIR-ed a middle or higher education MAN OF THE BRITISH CHAMBER OF COM- standard."-Renter. MERGE.

# |Vocational

Friday to the Children of India. Beswick (Lubour) of the Labour tinued, and a history of 100 years

He said that during 1945 the pre-war close connections with our Appointment: Service had placed British friends but to try and Vocational training schemes had been en the two peoples. places and eight permanent and would be greatly widened.

# Petition

course would deal with about

66,000 trainces a year .-- Reuter.

New York, Feb. 8. Alan Cranston, Chairman of the Dublin Conference Commit | Association. tee, said to-day that he would. In extending congratulations to present a petition to the United the organisation, Mr. Ogden said KILLED AND FIVE OTHER. Nations General Assembly to that Sine-British relations may Major-General Patrick J. amend the charter, making the indeed be said to go back to more Hurley, former Ambassador to U.N.O. a world federal Govern- than 100 years. China, said to-day that by sug- ment with military, pelice and plying lend-lease and other and inspection forces to preserve countries later seemed to assume

defeat America economically." "alternative to an atomic war." in China has in any way aba'ed British officer one Australian sol Hurley, who resigned as Am- He said that it represented the Since the war, relations between dier and three Jows killed, and with vehement criticism of State October at Dublin, New Hamp- than ever. The 20 destroyed were the Department officials, repeated shire by a voluntary unofficial Expression approval over the The attack occurred on the 1000 pm. The ill Belies Bakers, Barbers, Brewers, Butchers, Carpenters, Clothworkers,
He said that one chief weakCarpenters, Connecting County Count Representative Hall, Democrat Coachmakers, Coopers, Cord-ness of United States foreign view of the Dublin Conference what British education had of New York, yesterday intro- wainers, Girdlers, Haberdashers, policy is the result of "confu- Committee.--Associated Press.

SEMARANG BATTLE

Batavia, Feb. 8. A British communique to-day June.—Renter. bolts and fighters knocked out a baya:--Associated Press.

In his opening speech, Mr. Han Li-wu, Secretary-General of the Sino-British Culture Asthat the presence of such a Plan large number of prominent Brition and Chinese leaders from London, Feb. 5. official and business neius signi-Labour Minister Isance to-day ned the great need for such an

sation not only to yet back to the extend the scope of relationship

CLOSER RELATIONS Although the fourth such body

to be formed in China, he declared the Shanghai organisation wa. likely soon to become the first in importance because of the city's larger trade and financial connections with Great Britain. Mr. Ho concluded by stating

that the City Government would be glad to render whatever assistance may be needed by the

stances which could not be helped.

Before the meeting ended committee of 15 members, five Bri-I tish and ten Chinese, was elected stationed and shot the sentry I'o serve until the next election in

### RUSSIA'S INTEREST IN THE MUSLIM WORLD

(By Eric Downton).

MOSCOW, FEB. 8. INTEREST IN RUSSIA IN THE AFFAIRS OF THE MUS-LIM WORLD ABROAD—IN INDIA, EGYPT, THE JARAB STATES AND PALESTINE - IS REFLECTED BY THE SPACE DEVOTED IN THE PRESS TO EVENTS IN THESE COUNTRIES.

A STRONG CONTRIBUTING FACTOR TO SUCH IN TEREST IS THE PRESENCE WITHIN THE BORD ERS OF THE SOITET UNION OF 20,000,000 MUS-LIMS.

These Soviet Muslims natural- | Most Muslims in the Soviet y follow with close attention all Union inhabit the central Asian available news concerning the plains-Kazaka, Uzbek, Turkeconomic and political trends of men, Tadbzhik, Daghstan, Bash-Islamic communities and other kir. Azerbaijan, the Kirghizian 🚺 countries and there is a prospect | Tartar Republics, Northern Cauof the growth of caltural and casus and parts of the Crimea. scientific exchanges between the Muslims in Soviet Russia and

Soviet Muslim leaders, includ-Mufti Habdrachman

The development of formerly |Soviet Government.

Many who, are returning Commentaries in Soviet newsfind their homes destroyed and papers and journals with refertheir families gone without ence to the dependent races trace, the officials said. -- Asso- should be read in the light of this practical experience.

RACIAL EQUALITY These peoples are given racial equality by the Soviet constitution. The past two decades have 📭 growing increasingly bitter ever ing the president of the Central seen great industrial and agri-Spiritual Muslim Administra- cultural strides in Central Asia. Henry industries are thriving Rasuley, who has just returned where a few years ago there Elimination of military pen- from a pilgrimage to Mecca, were a few mud huts. Schemes A spokesman for General Macand irrigation projects under of War Robert Patterson has the five year plan beginning this | ordered a stay of execution for year will still further increase | General Yumashita pending ac-

> Tashkent, capital of Uzbek, is clemency plea. a good example. Twenty years no university, no higher education, no theatre and no major industry. To-day, it is the contre of the great Uzbekistan cotton industry which supplies the Soviet Union with 60 per cent of its cotton.

Two universities and forcy schools for higher learning have been built, as well as an imprest form decorations and other ansive opera house with talented artistes. There are also more any profession after a scathing than 60 mosques in Tashkent. A Muslim official recently told

a British visitor, who was touring Central Asia: "The Muslim [world here is changing in some | ways because of the different and important training now reguired for Mullahs. There is no hindrance to entering Muslim priesthood. Certain conditions

London, Feb. 8. the Ministry of National Insurance, Mr. Lindgren, told the House of Commons last night that the Government would probably offer a concession to self-employed pergons in the social security plan. If they were ready to pay a further 414d, pr week, the Minister was prepared to consider reducing the sickness benefit waiting period to the three days proposed

for employed persons. The concession he said, replyinto the di cussion on the Government's bill, would cost the Treasurv £1,000,000 a year.

Declining to agree that spinsters' pensions should be navable at 55 rather than at 60, Mr. Lindgren suggested that the improvements which the Government hop; to bring about in factory conditions would make retirement at 55 Mega yolos. less urgent for women.

He emphasised that under the bill, spinsters would receive sickness and unemployment benefits.-Reuter.

JERUSALEM, FEB. 8. FIVE PERSONS WERE WOUNDED ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT WHEN ARMED JEWS ATTACKED A MILLTARY If relations of other foreign CAMP NEAR TEL-AVIV AND STREET FIGHTING FOLLOW-ED. AN OFFICIAL COMMUNI-

QUE REPORTED YESTERinjured, the report said.

According to the communique. a man dressed in military uniform [11,00 p.m.-Close . Own. entered the camp's guard-room where African soldiers were dead. More "armed Jews" force their way into the guard-room the communique added. seriously wounded a guard and the commander and looted the armoury. Describing the attackers an "terrorists" the "Palestine Pest" reported that they had selzed some rifles .-- Associated Press.

### Juliana III

New York, Feb. 3. The Dutch news agency Ancta said to-day that Princess Juliana of the Notherlands, who had almost recovered from measles, had developed pneumonia bus was progressing favourably toward recovery.—Associat-

Tokyo, Feb. 8. large-scale electrification | Arthur announced that Secretary tion by President Truman on the

After MacArthur's decision was ago 98 per cent of the popula- announced vesterday, legal officers tion was illiterate. There was of the Allied Headmarters stated that General W. D. Svier, comin anding in Manila, could carry out the execution any time after the order was received.

Yamashita, found guilty of a war crimes charge by military tribunal sitting in Manila, was I sentenced to hance. In a decision yesterday, MacArthur also ordered Yamashita stripped of unlpurtenances signifying the militdenunciation of the Japanese military leader as "a disgrace" to the proffssion of arms.

Colonel A. C. Carpenter, Chief of the All'ed Hendquarters Legal Section, said that it was purely

a clemency matter, President for action. It is purely a clemency matter, not a review of the case. He can grant clemency if he desires, just as in the case of an American citizen," he said .- Associated Press.

*WHEAT SHORTAGE* 

London, Feb. 8. Eight-thousand tons of wheat will be bent almost immediately from the United States to Austria as the first step toward the emergency relief programme, nocording to the European

U.N.R.R.A. office to day. Meanwhile, the British Government is reported to be in touch The Parliamentary Secretary to with the United States, Canada, New Zealand and Au tra'la on the critical world wheat situation .-Associated Press.

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